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BOYS' SUITS

For $2.50, Worth $5.

Less than the cost to manufacture. Parents don't miss our



Big Bargains!

We place on sale to-day FIVE HUNDRED Boys' Suits from $2.50 up.

Our $5.00 ALL-WOOL SUITS can't be beat, and you will say so when you see them.

DON'T MISS THESE BARGAINS.

A BASE BALL CAP given to every purchaser of one of these boys' suits.

REMEMBER these suits were purchased by Mr. J. R Race, just home from New York, at a CLOSING OUT SALE, and we give the boys the chance to buy good stylish suits CHEAPER THAN EVER SOLD IN DECATUR BEFORE.

To see that we mean business call at

Marble Hall, 15 and 17 Water St.

J. R. RACE & CO.

May 17, 1882.—d&wtf

!! A NEW ENTERPRISE !!

Long experience has satisfied us of the necessity in Decatur for

AN EXCLUSIVELY PAINT AND ARTIST'S STORE,

Stock being Selected and Handled by Practical Workmen.

We respectfully announce to the TRADES, and PUBLIC GENERALLY, that we have opened on EAST WILLIAM STREET, immediately EAST OF THE NEW MASONIC TEMPLE, an extensive assortment of materials suitable for

HOUSE AND CARRIAGE PAINTERS,

Such as—Leads, Oils, Putty, Turpentine, Varnishes of all kinds, Japan Dryers, Lithogen—Wood fillers—Brushes of all grades, sizes and quality. Colors: DRY—in OIL—DISTEMPER—and JAPAN; in a word, everything in their line. Also, a full assortment of ARTISTS' MATERIAS, viz:—Tube Colors—Refined Oils, Canvases—Palettes, Palette Knives, Plaques, Brushes, Pencils, Mahl Sticks, Crayons, French Pastel Crayons, assorted of all colors and tints—Japan, Empty Boxes, etc., etc. Ladies and gentlemen artists, please examine stock.

Our Paint Shop is in the rear of the store, where we are prepared to execute in the latest style of the art Sign Writing, Fancy and Ornamental Work.

We also solicit OUTSIDE WORK, either city or country, from a common barn to the finest of city or country residences. REMEMBER THIS! For some of our friends have reported that we do no *common work*. We keep always first-class workmen for all kinds of work.

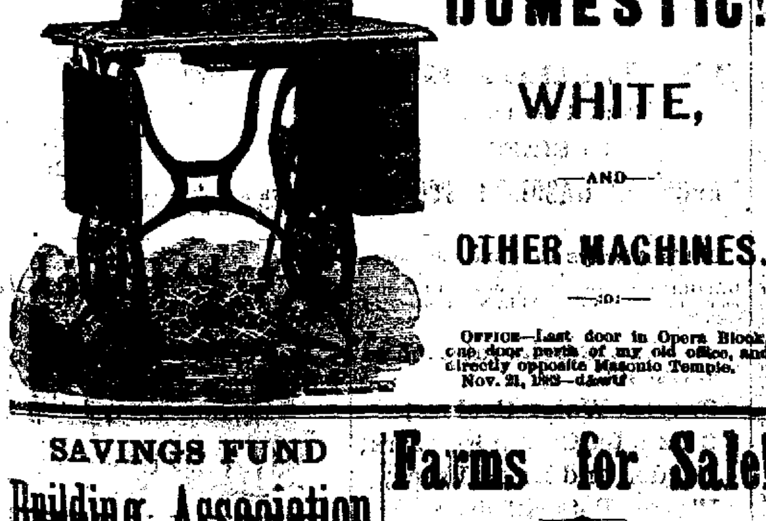
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GEORGE P. BLUME

THE OLD RELIABLE DEALER IN

SEWING MACHINES AND SUPPLIES,



—THE—

DOMESTIC!

WHITE,

—AND—

OTHER MACHINES.

OFFICE—Last door in Opera Block, one door north of my old office, and directly opposite Masonic Temple.
Nov. 21, 1882—d&wtf

SAVINGS FUND

Building Association

Provide yourself a Home, and avoid paying rent by becoming a member of the Building Association. The Fourth Series of the Stock of the Savings Fund Building Association, to date from the last Tuesday in May, can now be subscribed for at the office of

Warren & Durfee.

Payments 50 cents a month per share.

K. H. ROBY, Pres't.
B. K. DURFEE, Sec.
May 3, 1882—dtf

Farms for Sale!

E. O. SMITH

Is desirous of selling a

PORTION of HIS FARMING LAND

situated in Macon county, near Dalton and Hervey City. For particulars inquire of

GEO. W. BRIGHT,

[illegible] NATIONAL BANK,
or O. L. KENDAL, Dalton City, who will show parties the land.
May 2, 1882—d&wtf

THE VERY BEST!

HAND-MADE

Buggy Harness.

I use none but the best material, and employ only the best workmen. I use no patent Hame Tugs. I make them from the VERY BEST LEATHER. Have also the best Whips to be had in the market.

J. W. TYLER.

South Side City Park.

PALACE HOTEL

N. LAUX, Proprietor,

South Main St., corner of Wood, Decatur, Ill. $1.00 per day. Livery stable in connection with house. Carriages furnished at all hours.
Feb. 9, 1881—d&wy

For the purpose of disposing of

ONE HALF OUR LOTS

—ON—

Water, Durfee, Bradford and Marietta Sts.,

And having them improved during the coming season, we are making

Special Offer of Reduced Prices and Easy Terms, good for 90 Days from this date.

WARREN & DURFEE.

March 9, 1883—dtf

CO-OPERATION.

A Great Success in England, and a Failure in America.

Chicago Times.

The fifteenth annual congress of delegates from the various co-operative societies in Great Britain and Ireland was recently held in Edinburgh. About a thousand societies were represented at the meeting. Most encouraging reports were made on the progress of co-operation throughout Great Britain. In England alone goods to the value of over £17,000,000 were sold last year at the co-operative stores. The returns from Scotland showed a wonderful result. During the last ten years the business transacted at co-operative stores has amounted to over £25,000,000, paying a profit of over £2,000,000, and enabling the stockholders to divide a dividend of 6.5 per cent. per annum. Co-operative manufactories are springing up in all parts of the country, while many are combining to engage in farming and gardening. Reports from Australia, Germany and Italy showed that co-operative societies were being formed in all these countries for the purpose of carrying on trade in all the industries. In Italy co-operative societies are formed for the purpose of carrying on the business of dairying, fishing, fruit-raising and quarrying. It was shown by others than members of the societies that the persons who patronized them were improving their condition in life very rapidly. As every kind of business was conducted on the cash principle, there was no getting in debt, and people learned to save their money. Those who collected sufficient means to purchase shares rarely disposed of them. Many do not draw their dividends, but allow them to remain in the treasury till they have sufficient means to purchase more shares. It was reported by several observers that a higher degree of morality as well as thrift prevailed among persons who belonged to the co-operative societies than among those who do not.

The great success of the co-operative stores is said to be chiefly due to saving of expense in doing business. As everything is bought and sold for cash, there are few accounts to be kept. The pay of entry clerks and bookkeepers is saved. There are no expensive signs or other attractions, and no "runners." There are few show cases, fancy counters, or costly ornamentations. The stores are plain structures, not erected with a view of attracting customers. They are not designed for catching the eye of bargain-hunters. There is no sham connected with them. All the goods are of standard quality. The salesmen waste no time in flattering customers or in trying to induce them to buy more than they can pay for. There are, of course, no bad debts. One set of customers have not to pay for the articles that another set bought and declined to settle for. No attempt is made to undersell other establishments or to gain trade in other than legitimate ways. As the profits are credited up to the patrons, there is no disposition to try to obtain goods for less than the current prices. No teams are kept for delivering goods. Customers who desire to have parcels sent to their homes pay a sum which covers the cost. Keeping few but standard goods for which there is a constant demand, the capital is turned over very often. Most of the co-operative manufactories sell the goods they make directly to consumers. In this way the profits of middlemen are saved. As most of the goods are sold very near where they are manufactured, there is a strong disposition to make and preserve a good reputation. Persons engaged in one branch of co-operative industry generally patronize those engaged in other branches, while most of them own stock in co-operative stores.

It is somewhat remarkable that co-operation which is gaining ground so fast abroad, should be actually losing ground in this country. Many of our early industries were commenced on the co-operative plan. Our whaling enterprises were nearly all co-operative in their organization. One man furnished the vessel and had a certain number of shares in the enterprise. Another furnished the supplies, and was entitled to more shares, while the officers and men had the remainder. Most of the butter and cheese factories first established in this country were co-operative. At one time there were a large number of co-operative stores and quite a number of co-operative manufactories in this country. At present there are very few of the former, and, as far as the general public knows, not many of the latter. From all accounts co-operation has accomplished much for the people of Great Britain. A method of doing business which prevents getting into debt, encourages the saving of money, and fosters thrift cannot fail to be beneficial.

An Uncomfortable Spare Room.

Cleveland Leader.

A well known Bishop, eminent in his position and in personal dignity, was once quartered upon the wealthiest resident of a certain village, whose wife chanced to be away from home. The Bishop, with grim humor, frequently complains of being put into the spare room, which is opened especially for him and the encouragement of rheumatism. He is withal a slim man, and on this occasion, when his host inquired how he had slept, and hoped he had passed an agreeable night, he answered, with some vehemence: "No; I did not. I passed a very disagreeable night, indeed!" The bishop departed, and when the wife of his host returned she naturally inquired who had been to the house in her absence. "Bishop P——," said the husband. "Bishop P——!" exclaimed the good woman, "And where did you put him to sleep?" "In the spare bed of course." "In the spare bed!" shrieked the horrified matron. "Why, I put all the silverware under the mattress before I went away!"

The Business Bee.

Scientific American.

The bee has long been a type of the industrious worker, but there are few people who know how much labor the sweet-[illegible] of the hive represents. Each head of clover contains about sixty distinct flower tubes, each of which contains a portion of sugar not exceeding the five-hundredth part of a grain. Some patient apiarian enthusiast, who has watched their movements, concludes that the proboscis of the bee must, therefore, be inserted into 500 clover tubes before one grain of sugar can be obtained. There are 7,000 grains in a pound, and as honey contains three-fourths of its weight of dry sugar, each pound of honey represents 2,500,000 clover tubes sucked by bees.

How Friendships are Kept Warm.

London Punch.

Mrs. Jones—"Oh, I've left out the Browns! must we invite them?" Jones—"Hang it all, it's a beastly bore, but I suppose we must!" Mrs. Brown—"An invitation from the Joneses, love! Must we accept?" Brown—"Confound it! It's a ghastly nuisance—but I suppose we must!"

A Corner in Walnut.

"Gath."

A friend tells me that a "corner," prominent in which are English capitalists, have bought the largest remaining tracts of black walnut timber and expect to drive the rates high. In other woods the prices are very low.

WAS IT CHANCE?

[From the Persian.]

The wind swept over a silver string:
The cord responded, but why did it sing?
Was it chance?

The golden sun, rising, illuminated the sky;
The lotus awakened, but why did it sigh?
Was it chance?

The nightingale hovered all night o'er the rose;
Why blossomed the rosebud at dawn? Who knows?
Was it chance?

The moon flew away with the dark gazelle;
Which courted the other? Who can tell?
Was it chance?

The lover found many strange ways to his fair,
But, arrived at the spot, she was ever there.
Was it chance?

"The Lady, or The Tiger?" or Both?

Readers of The Century will remember Mr. Frank H. Stockton's clever story of "The Lady, or the Tiger?" published in that magazine last November, in which he left his hero in a rather embarassing condition. He was placed in front of two doors, behind one of which was a tiger ready to devour him, and behind the other a maiden ready for marriage. One of the doors he must open. But the daughter of the king loves the youth, and the question is, whether her love will be sufficiently strong to lead her to save the man from the tiger and give him to her rival. The lover looks for a signal, and the princess, raising her right hand, indicates that he shall open the door on the right. He advances to obey—there Mr. Stockton leaves him. The story has aroused a great deal of curiosity, and many solutions have been attempted. The wittiest and best of them all is by Maj. Joseph Kirkland, of this city, and is published in the June Century. After restating the problem in verse, the solution is given as follows:

This tiger, savage, sleek, and strong,
Had fasted there alone and long,
And grown to be far hungrier than a
Wild quadrupedal Doctor Tanner.

He sniffed the wall that did divide
Him from the maid on t'other side.
One sniff, two sniffs, three sniffs were all;
Then he forthwith tore down the wall.

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Sir Tiger now has had his fill;
Another pound would make him ill.
He's no more need for persons raw
Than Barnum's tiger stuffed with straw.

Too long we've let our hero stand
Since his fair princess raised her hand.
Boldly he opes the right-hand portal—
Then staggers back in terror mortal!

From out the gate-way, crouching low,
The tiger steps, sedate and slow;
Stops, stoops, unsheathes and sheathes his claws,
While all may note the awful paws!

He gives the youth a scornful glance,
And passes on with looks askance.
He does not seem to care to eat him—
Meets him, in fact, but doesn't meat him.

He smooths his whiskers, walks the ring,
Winks at the princess and her lover,
Then smiles serenely at the king,
And scans the multitude all over.

His lordly form and bearing made
Fit setting for the part he played.
He on the sands of that theayter
From top to toe looked glad he ate her.

He peered, and purred, and paced awhile,
With that same soft, seductive smile;
Then in a shady corner crept,
And laid him down and sweetly slept.

The king in this a portent sees,
Quoth he, while quake the royal knees,
"Go, daughter, quickly as you can,
And wed that praiseworthy young man."

The princess trips across the sands
To where her lover waiting stands;
They're married fast, mid cheers and laughter,
And then—live happy ever after.

Oft did the swain in later life
Demand the secret from his wife;
And by all arts strove to oblige her
To tell which door had hid the tiger.

But she, as all historians say,
Kept silent to her dying day;
So no step further ever made be
To solve the problem, "Death or Lady."

"Jim" Bennett.

New York Letter.

New Yorkers have been much interested within the last day or two over the news from Europe concerning the extraordinary doings of the Herald's proprietor, in his steam yacht Namouna, which are chronicled in the London World. Evidently Mr. Bennett was very much exhilarated by French air. Life on board the Namouna must have all the elements and uncertainty as to what may become of them next. Mr. Bennett is said to make his guests comfortable by playing on them with a fire hose and raising a mock alarm of fire, also to insist on the whole crew getting roaring drunk upon pain of instant dismissal if he is not obeyed. But in this last tipsy exploit he has surpassed himself. The gravity with which Bennett must have refused the proffered assistance from the Frenchman must have been as good as a play, for "Jim's" phenomenal soberness (apparent) at such times is proverbial. I heard a story yesterday in illustration of it.

One New Year's day Bennett arrived at the Union club towards night, having made many calls. He sat down in a chair, and, observing that some members of the club were presenting Peter, the venerable porter, of the club, with $5 bills as New Year's presents, he called him over, and fishing down into one of his pockets brought up a bill.

"Peter, my friend," he said, without looking at the bill, "take that."

"Thank you, sir," said Peter, his eyes glistening at the sight of a $20 bill.

Bennett gazed at him for a second, said sleepily, "Wait, Peter," and diving down into another pocket brought up another bill.

"Take that, Peter."

This performance went on for fully five minutes. Every time that the astonished Peter attempted to retire he was called back, and the presentatation of every kind of bill, from $1 to $50 went on to the amusement of the spectators. When no more bills came forth Bennett stopped and went away. Peter asked some of the members what he had best do with his hatful of money. He was advised to ask Mr. Bennett the next time he came whether he had not given him by mistake more than he had intended. So the next day when Bennett appeared Peter said to him:

"Mr. Bennett, I think you gave me more of a New Year's present than you intended last night."

Bennett looked at him for a few seconds, not having the glimmer of an idea of how much he had given, or whether he had given anything at all.

"How much did I give you, Peter?"

"Eight hundred dollars, sir."

The position was a delicate one, but not so much so to a man with an income of a million a year as to an ordinary mortal. "That was the amount I intended for you, Peter," said Bennett, without a sign of annoyance.

The Stage Beard.

The stage beard looks as much like a beard that grew there as a cow's tail would if tied to the bronze dog on the front porch. When you tie a heavy black beard on a young actor, whose whole soul would be churned up if he smoked a full-fledged cigar, he looks about as savage as a bowl of mush and milk struck with a club

I was severely afflicted for eleven years with hay fever. After trying almost everything without avail, I gave up all hopes of being cured, when I purchased a bottle of Ely's Cream Balm. To my surprise, after a few applications, I was entirely relieved. H. WATSON HARRIS, Letter Carrier, Newark, N. J.

I RECOMMEND to those suffering (as I have) with hay fever, Ely's Cream Balm. I have tried nearly all the remedies, and give this a decided preference over them all. It has given me immediate relief. C. T. STEPHENS, Hardware merchant, Ithica, N. Y. Price 50 cents.
June 16—deod w2

IF you want mill feed, corn or oats, you can be supplied at Shellabarger's.
Dec. 18—d&wtf

OUR ALL-WOOL

$10 Cassimere Suits

AND OUR

$12 FINE BUSINESS SUITS

Seem to have attracted the attention of our numerous customers as well as as some of our competitors. The sales made by us on these garments are sufficient evidence that our customers prefer them.

WE HAVE DISPOSED OF

ONE HUNDRED SUITS Already

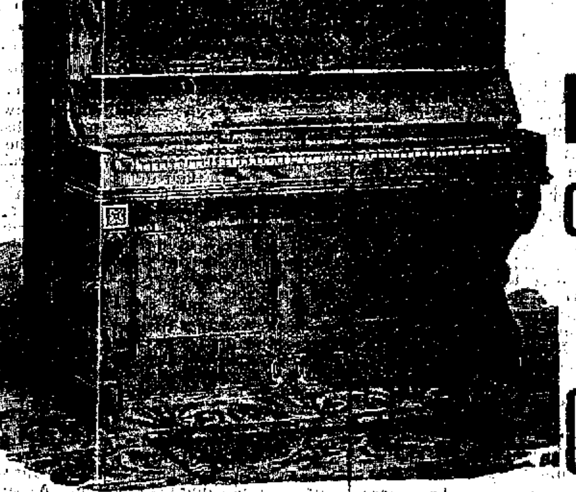
AND WERE COMPELLED TO BUY A NEW SUPPLY.

As long as the trade appreciates our efforts we care not for the opinions of our competitors and their talk. The latter simply shows our prominence in the trade.

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FACTS FOR HOUSE-KEEPERS

Syracuse Baking Powder Co.

U. S. Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C., Mar. 31, 1882.

GENTLEMEN:—I send you the result of my analysis of the following Baking Powders:

NAME OF POWDER.	Per cent of carbonic acid in powder.	Cubic inches of carbonic acid gas in one ounce of powder.	Per cent. of starch in each powder.	Powder that contains ammonia.
TIP TOP	14.49	134.30	None.	
Pearl	10.31	95.30	24.94	Pearl.
Dr. Price's	11.42	106.00	23.43	
Royal	10.79	100.80	20.23	Royal.
Horsford's	10.70	99.00	29.38	
Snow Flake	7.61	70.40	34.80	Snow Flake.

The last five contain, as will be seen, a large percentage of starch. The TIP TOP is composed only of pure cream of tartar, bi-carbonate of soda and the white of eggs, and is the Best Baking Powder I have ever examined, in my opinion.
PETER COLLIER, PH. D.

Strange as it may seem the Pearl, Dr. Price's Cream, Royal, Horsford's and the Snow Flake Baking Powders are NOT "absolutely pure," as represented, but are adulterated with common laundry starch, to such an extent that every purchaser of a pound of either of these pays from 7 to 17 cents for about 1-4 pound of starch (*the ordinary cost of which is one cent.*)

THE TIP TOP IS MADE ONLY OF

Pure Grape Cream Tartar, Finest Bi-Carbonate of Soda and the Whites of Eggs.

Try it, and learn the superiority of THE TIP TOP over starch. It requires one-third less, and is one-third stronger than any other Baking Powder made. Manufactured by the
For sale by SYRACUSE BAKING POWDER CO., Syracuse, N. Y.

Sold in Decatur by PETER ULLRICH.

Notice to Contractors.

The undersigned building committee for the town of Blue Mound will receive sealed proposals to build a town hall for Blue Mound township, in the town of Boody. 30x40 feet, 14 feet story, to be completed by the first day of November next, (according to plans and specifications, which can be seen at the store of Cr[illegible]se & Blankinship, in the town of Boody, by those desiring to make estimates for bidding), until the 11th day of July next, at the store aforesaid, when the bids will be opened by the committee and considered, the committee reserving the right to reject any or all bids, but will let to the lowest responsible bidder, if reasonable, in their judgment. A bond with sufficient security will be required for the fulfillment of contract entered into with bidder to be good for the building as well as any mechanic's lien, if any be placed on the building.

W. T. MOFFETT,
FRED. BAILEY,
W. F. BLANKINSHIP,
June 12—d6t w4t Committee.

W. C. T. U.

Its meetings occur on Tuesdays at 7½ p. m. and on Thursdays at 3 p. m., at headquarters in Central Block, the former being a Gospel temperance meeting, and the latter one mainly for business. There is also a monthly sociable at the tabernacle, on the third Thursday evening of the month. All are welcome to any of these meetings. M. M. SANCHEY Sec.

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MAGNETIC MEDICINE: A BRAIN AND NERVE FOOD; Positively Cures Night Losses, Spermatorrhoea, Impotency, Nervous Debility, Leucorrhoea, (Before) [illegible], Barrenness; and for all (After) Weaknesses of the Generative Organs in either sex it is an UNFAILING AND POSITIVE CURE. Tones up the debilitated system, arrests all involuntary discharges, removes mental gloom and despondency, and restores wonderful power to the weakest organs. ☞ With each order for twelve packages, accompanied with five dollars, we will send our GUARANTEE to refund the money if the treatment does not effect a cure. It is the *Cheapest and Best* Medicine in the market. Full particulars in Pamphlet, which we mail free to any address. Sold by all druggists, one package 50 cents; six packages for $2.50, sent by mail on receipt of price; by addressing the MAGNETIC MEDICINE, Co., Detroit, Mich. Guarantees issued in Decatur, Ill. Dr. J. A. BROWER, No. 14, South Side of Park.
Jan. 1883—o&wly.

ST. NICHOLAS HOTEL,

CHAS. LAUX, Proprietor,

South side of the Old Square, Decatur
Jan. 1, 1880—d&w



A JUMBO SHOW

—WITH—

"Cheap Charley!"

A Little Circus Among Friends.

HOME-MADE

PANTALOON OVERALLS,

10 Ounce Duck, Every Pair Warranted not to Rip,

WORTH $1.25, FOR 70 CENTS.

This Manifest is No Mistake!

CHEAP CHARLEY.



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ICE! ICE!

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TO ANY PART OF THE CITY.

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Flowers and foliage plants of all kinds constantly on hand.

Bouquets and cut flowers arranged in any form desired.

Decorations for weddings, funerals, etc., made a specialty.

Foliage beds made for patrons without extra charge.

Give me a call, or order by telephone.

N. BOMMERSBACH.
May 4—d6w

Administrator's Notice.

Estate of GEORGE CRAWFORD, Deceased.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to all persons having claims and demands against the estate of George Crawford, deceased, to present the same for adjudication and settlement at a regular term of the County Court of Macon county, to be holden at the Court House, in the city of Decatur, on the second Monday of August, A. D. 1883, being the first day of said term.

Decatur, Ill., June 19, 1883.

JOSEPHINE CRAWFORD,
June 19-d3w Administratrix.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE partnership heretofore existing between Alex. Nebinger and Frank Reeser under the firm name of NEBINGER & REESER, is this day, June 7th, 1883, dissolved by mutual consent, Alex. Nebinger retiring from the firm. The business will be continued by Frank Reeser, John Reeser and Henry Bake, under the firm name of Frank Reeser & Co., the new firm assuming all liabilities of the late firm.

NEBINGER & REESER.
FRANK REESER & CO.
DECATUR, ILL., June 16, 1883—d1w.

BLENZ & DELANEY,

BUTCHERS

—AND—

PACKERS,

WEST SIDE OF THE OLD SQUARE

—A NEW STOCK OF—

SMOKED AND CURED MEATS

Hams,
Breakfast Bacon,
Dried Beef,
Bologna and Lard
at Wholesale and Retail.

FRESH MEATS

Of all kinds on hand. We kill only first-class stock. Feb10'[illegible]

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From 3 to 12 inch inclusive, at the following Low Prices:

	1st Class	2d Class	3d Class
3-inch Tile per 1000	$ 12.00	$ 10.00	$ 6.00
4 " " " "	18.00	15.00	9.00
5 " " " "	25.00	21.00	12.00
6 " " " "	35.00	30.00	18.00
7 " " " "	45.00	38.00	22.00
8 " " " "	55.00	46.00	28.00
10 " " " "	125.00	100.00	
12 " " " "	160.00	125.00	

5 PER CENT OFF FOR CASH.

P. S. We would call your attention to the fact that our second-class Tile are good and will bear shipping anywhere.

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Look to Your Interest and Tile Your Lands.

IT WILL PAY FOR ITSELF THE FIRST SEASON.

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Send in your orders by the carload, or come in wagons. Address all orders,

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Shop in the old Masonic building, northwest corner City Park, Decatur, Ill. Jan.16—dy

The Daily Republican.

FRIDAY EVENING, JUNE 23, 1883.

R. K. HAMSHER. J. R. MOSSER.

HAMSHER & MOSSER, Propri'trs.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

Entered at the Post Office at Decatur, Illinois, as second-class mail matter.

CHARLEY BACKUS, the minstrel, is dead.

THE Chicago markets had a better tone yesterday, but prices did not advance materially.

WHEAT harvest has commenced in Southern Illinois.

A RICH strike of copper-stained talc, containing free gold, was made on Printer Boy Hill at Leadville, on Wednesday. The mineral, it is said, assayed $45,000 in gold to the ton.

JUDGE HOADLEY received the Democratic nomination for governor of Ohio yesterday. The contest was a close and bitter one, between Hoadley and Gen. Durbin Ward, the former being the Pendletonian candidate, while Ward was championed by Thurman. The result is understood to mean that the owner of the big bandana is permanently shelved.

THE recent talk about "the old ticket" has induced the New York *Star* (John Kelly's paper) to take this excellent life-like photograph of the head of it:

No one blames S. J. Tilden for being a coward. The thing is in his temperament, in his blood and bones. His stealthy ways, his secretiveness, his habit of procrastination and hesitation, his inability to look the world squarely in the face and say what he thinks in manly terms and tones, doubtless spring from traits inherited from Tory ancestors, who lacked the courage to fight for their country, and were Tories because they had not blood and bravery enough to be patriots. It usually takes more than one generation to grow a first-class sneak.

IN commenting upon the failure of Mr. Peter McGeoch, the New York *Commercial Advertiser* directs attention to the fact that the products of this country are a little too big for a man or set of men to manipulate. It thinks that everybody must have received the announcement of the failure with rejoicing, for there is no more pernicious or destructive form of gambling than that in food products. These speculators may in the course of time stop long enough in the midst of their operations to see that the area of arable land is extending all the time, and that stock-raising is becoming a more important industry every year. Under these circumstances it becomes more and more difficult and dangerous to manipulate and artificially bolster up the markets.

Consumption's Cure.

Dr. Oswald in San Francisco Bulletin.

Consumption is recognized as a zymotic disease. If that is true, then it is a disease bred and aggravated by filth. The slums of the city breed it, and dark rooms, badly ventilated workshops and manufactories. Cold, pure mountain air begins to work an alleviation at once. Consumption results when the lungs are ill fed. It is starvation through the lungs. Dr. Oswald points out that malnutrition hastens the disease. Fat is the best lung food, and sweet cream is the best of all. The symptoms of tuberculosis can be artificially produced by repeated inoculation. The diet of persons inclined to pulmonary diseases should be nutritious and more stimulating. The inhabitants of the Polar regions consume enormous quantities of fat. The cold has a tendency, also, to neutralize and keep down filth-breeding diseases. The Esquimaux comes out of a skin-covered hut after six months of hibernation where there has been no ventillation, but where a diet of fat and low temperature have preserved him from tubercular diseases. Dr. Oswald does not conclude his paper. While there is not much in the way of discovery, there is the assertion of many old truths with a great deal of clearness and force. If consumptives can be cured by fresh air, dietary preautions, and a good climate, surely California is the best place in the world for a perfect demonstration.

THE great suit of Mrs. Myra Clark Gaines is bound to keep the city of New Orleans in hot water for some time to come. Recently that indefatigable lady obtained judgment in the United States Court for about $2,000,000. The city refused to pay the judgment, whereupon Mrs. Gaines applied for a mandamus compelling the city to levy and collect a tax to pay it. The city moved to quash the petition, on the ground of insufficiency of allegation. This was overruled. The case then came upon its merits. After long arguments on both sides the case was finally submitted, and Judge Billings has handed in his decision, which requires the city to levy and collect a tax of a fraction under $2,000,000, less $40,000 already sequestered. This ruling suspends the operation of Article CCIX of the State Constitution, which limits municipal taxation to 10 mills of the assessed value of real estate. The city officers have the choice of obeying the court and violating their oaths of office, or complying with the latter and rendering themselves liable for contempt of court. The decision is regarded as arbitrary and high-handed, and it is generally believed the city officers will decline to obey the writ and stand the consequences.

BUY the Ferguson Vapor Stove of Ferguson & Dillehunt, No. 13 Water St. April 20—dtf

STRAW hats of all styles at Fleury's the French Cutter. 16d&wtf

How New York Responded.

The following interesting reminiscence is from the lately published biography of Gen. John A. Dix:

The 15th of that month brought President Lincoln's proclamation and the call for 75,000 men—a bagatelle, as it proved, compared with the number required; but the figures seemed enormous to the popular eye, and the demand set the whole city in a blaze. Never to my dying day shall I forget a scene witnessed on Tuesday of that week. A regiment had arrived from Massachusetts on the way to Washington, via Baltimore. They came in at night, and it was understood that after breakfasting at the Astor house the march would be resumed. By 9 o'clock in the morning an immense crowd had assembled about the hotel; Broadway from Barclay to Fulton street and the lower end of Park row were occupied by a dense mass of human beings, all watching the front entrance, at which the regiment was to file out. From side to side, hosts silent as the grave, expectant, something unspeakable in their faces. It was the dead, deep hush before the thunder storm. At last a low murmur was heard; it sounded something like a gasp of men in suspense; and the cause was that the soldiers had appeared, their leading files descended the steps. By the twinkle of their bayonets above the heads of the crowd their course could be traced out into the open street in front. Formed at last in column they stood, the band at the head; and the word was given, "March!" Still dead silence prevailed. Then the drums rolled out the time—the regiment was in motion. And then the band bursting into full volume struck up—what other tune could the Massachusetts men have chosen?—"Yankee Doodle." I caught but two bars and a half of the old music, not more. For instantly there arose a sound such as many a man never heard in all his life and never will hear; such as is never heard more than once in a lifetime. Not more awful is the thunder of heaven as, with sudden peal, it smites into silence all lesser sounds, and rolling through the vault above us, fills earth and sky with the shock of its terrible voice. One terrific roar burst from the multitude, leaving nothing audible save its own reverberation. We saw the heads of armed men, the gleam of their weapons, the regimental colors, all moving on, pageant-like. But naught could we hear save that hoarse, heavy surge—one general acclaim, one wild shout of joy and hope, one endless cheer, rolling up and down, from side to side, above, below, to right, to left; the voice of approval, of consent, of unity in act and will. No one who saw and heard could doubt how New York was going.

"FRISCO LINE."

St. Louis and San Francisco Railway.

The "Frisco Line" runs from St. Louis through the entire length of the state of Missouri, into and through Southeast Kansas; also to Vinita and Red Fork in the Indian Territory, and to Ft. Smith and the famous Eureka Springs in the state of Arkansas. Bear in mind this is the direct and short line from this section of country to principal towns in Southeast Kansas, and one way tickets to principal points in Kansas, Missouri, Indian Territory and Arkansas, and round trip tickets to Frodonia, Kansas, Neosho, Mo., and Eureka Springs, Arkansas, via the "Frisco Line", are now on sale at Decatur, Ills., and at all principal railroad coupon ticket offices throughout the country, at *lowest rates*.

Ask for tickets via St. Louis and San Francisco Railway. Mr. Geo. Lower will run an excursion to the West every Tuesday during the year 1883. Those contemplating a trip to the West or Southwest, either for pleasure, health or business, or those in search of Western lands, will find it to their interest to call on or write to him. Further information will be cheerfully furnished, by mail or otherwise, on application to Geo. Lower. Office, first floor, No. 20, East Prairie street, opposite the Postoffice, Decatur, Ills.

WE think we utter the sentiments of all who attended the W. C. T. U. entertainment at the tabernacle last evening, when we say that Miss Mamie Kinney's voice is one of rare sweetness, and that her name on a programme will always bespeak a large audience. Her solo was highly appreciated, and we know the hearers who understand what good music is are unanimous in saying her accompanist, Mrs. J. E. Patterson, exhibited great talent and cultivation. The cornetist, Mr. J. Van-Riper, proved to the audience that there is more music in that instrument than they had ever imagined, and his accompaniment to the voice was most delightful and charming. Everybody says Mr. D. L. Bunn excelled himself. His voice was always appreciated, but none ever heard him do so well.

A Card.

The W. C. T. U. desire to express their gratitude to all persons and parties who assisted to make the entertainment of Thursday evening the success it is acknowledged to have been; to all who acted their parts of the programme, to the public who gave their patronage, to the papers which advertised so efficiently and to Mr. Gustin especially who kindly donated the use of the piano, which added so much to the enjoyment of all present.

WILSON BROS.' Shirts made to order at B. Stine's. f14dtf

At Liddle's.

10 sizes Vapor or Gasoline Stoves, with Hull's reliable burner. Gasoline 74° gravity, distilled expressly for use in summer stoves. *Five gallons for 75 cts*
June 7—dtf B. LIDDLE.

R. T. of T.

Regular meeting of Haworth Council, Royal Templars of Temperance, this (Friday) evening. Election of officers. A full attendance desired.
J. G. SHEA, Sec'y.

THE Hungarian system of milling by Geo. Priest & Co., full and complete in all its details, makes the best flour ever sold in the city. Prices as low as any. April 10-d&wtf

HAVE you seen the great CHEAP CHARLEY puzzle. Call and get one.

Special Dispatches

RELENTLESS ELEMENTS.

Destruction of Property by Flood, Fire and Wind.

The Father of Waters Still Rising—The Situation Serious—Wednesday Night's Storm—A Fire in Pittsburg—Business Notes.

ST. LOUIS, June 22.—"The river is bound to reach 35 feet above low-water said Serg. Weber, "and I fear that the mark in this city before it begins to go down," results will be very calamitous. At 1 o'clock the gauge read 33 inches, and that is the highest point that it ever reached in the remarkably high water in 1881. The river will continue to rise at the rate of about 6 inches per day for the next day or two, and it can not possibly stop short of 35 feet. The most danger is to be apprehended in this immediate locality and between here and Cairo. While the river below Cairo is slowly falling, the Upper Mississippi is rising, and that very rapidly, at Keokuk. The Missouri is also reported rising at nearly all stations, and the heavy rains of Wednesday night will soon be felt here. Severe rains at points in Illinois Wednesday night will give the Illinois and Sangamon rivers a start, while the rains in this state will swell the Gasconade and other streams. With all the heavy rains reported on the Upper Missouri and Mississippi rivers, and their tributaries rising, it may be concluded that the worst has not yet reached this locality."

ANOTHER CYCLONE.

CHILLICOTHE, MO., June 22.—Another destructive storm visited this section Wednesday night, but it is impossible to get particulars, owing to communication being cut off by high water. In this city the damage was slight, but in the vicinity of Dawn, eleven miles southwest, the storm took on the form of a cyclone, completely demolishing twenty buildings, killing two persons, and seriously wounding fifteen others. Medical assistance was sent to the sufferers in boats. In the track of the storm everything is devastation and ruin.

AT EAST ST. LOUIS, ILL.

At midnight the danger in East St. Louis had somewhat increased. From 5:30 o'clock p. m. until that hour there had been a rise of one inch near the weak point on Bowman's dike. The water stood within a few inches of the new embankment, and a slight pressure from the river back-water would have been sufficient to send it across the dike into Cahokia Creek and the Vandalia slough, and cause the dreaded inundation.

AT JEFFERSON CITY.

JEFFERSON CITY, MO., June 22.—The Missouri has risen at this place about seven inches in the last twenty-four hours, being 19 feet 6 inches above low-water mark and nine feet below the highest point reached in 1844. Considerable damage is being done by the overflow of the Callaway bottoms above and below Cedar City to the crops of wheat and corn. Some of the farmers are cutting their wheat, although barely ripe, to save it from further damage.

AT ST. JOE.

ST. JOSEPH, MO., June 22.—There is but little change in the condition of the flooded district in this vicinity except that the waters are slowly receding.

AT ST. CHARLES, MO.

ST. CHARLES, MO., June 22.—The river at this point is steadily rising. All the bottom lands in this vicinity are under water, and the loss of property is very great. From the heights of our city miles of acres of the richest lands in Missouri cannot be seen on account of the water. The last vestige of the once prosperous little town of Brotherton was swept away last evening.

NEAR CARROLLTON, MO.

CARROLLTON, MO., June 22.—The rain and wind Wednesday night did immense damage in the country. In Carrollton, yards, cellars and houses were flooded, while two streams within the corporation were forced out of their banks, and upon one of them five bridges were either washed out or rendered impassable. The greatest damage, however, was in the country at DeWitt. The wind developed into a perfect tornado, and four houses were blown down. The residence of J. Funk and J. Cravens were totally wrecked, fences were levelled, trees blown down, and general destruction marks the path of the wind's fury.

AT NASHVILLE, ILL.

NASHVILLE, ILL., June 22.—Shortly after midnight Wednesday night our city was visited by a very severe thunder-storm from the northwest, accompanied by perfect torrents of rain and some hail. The wind was very strong, blowing almost a gale. A good many limbs from trees were blown off. In the soutewestern part of the city a frame house which had just been completed was lifted from its foundation and moved several feet. Several out-houses were also blown down.

AT SHELBYVILLE.

SHELBYVILLE, ILL., June 22.—A terrific lightning and thunder storm passed over this city Wednesday night, between eleven and one o'clock. The lightning was most vivid and continuous, and the thunder almost deafening. Rail fell in torrents. There is no damage done by lightning other than a few shade trees being struck and riddled. About an hour or so afterwards a heavy wind storm followed, blowing down fruit trees, etc. No serious damage is known to have been done.

A Prospective Lynching.

MAYSVILLE, KY., June 22.—About 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon as the youngest daughter of Timothy McAuliff was returning to her home she was stopped at a lonely and secluded station on the road and seized by a negro. Although she is but 15 years of age she is large and well developed. She resisted and her cries scared off the brute after he had lacerated and bruised her throat in a terrible manner. The fiend made his way to the river shore, and, stealing a skiff, he escaped, going down the river. The marshal of this place is close on the trace, and the Ripley authorities are on the watch. It is safe to say that the fiend will stretch hemp if brought back to this place. A dispatch has just been received from Ripley stating that a negro answering the description of the fiend who assaulted Miss McAuliff last evening was arrested at that place shortly after dark. Dr. Jas. Shackelford has examined the girl and says that she can hardly survive. The excitement runs high. A squad of men has already started in the direction of Ripley, and talk of lynching the brute is heard on every hand.

Foraker, the Republican nominee for governor of Ohio, wears upon his little finger a peculiar ring which has a history. It was given him by a young lady in Tennessee whose life he heroically saved during the war.

Street Railroads

Are nowhere compared to Summer Cooking Stoves! The introducer of this comfort to housekeepers of Decatur is still on hand with all the best makes of Summer Cooking Stoves, with all the practical improvements that experience has indicated to be beneficial for safety and use, and we claim to have the best stoves and the lowest prices. We do not limit ourselves to any one style, but sell the best made. Our ten years' experience in handling and selling many hundreds of this class of stoves has given us a practical knowledge as to the quality of the article offered. We guarantee every stove to perform as we recommend it, or money refunded at Decatur Lamp Store, Central Block. Don't forget the place.
T. H. WINGATE,

The only agent for Danforth's Non-Explosive Burning Fluid. June 9-dtf

ASK for Wilson Bros.' Shirts at B. Stine's. f14dtf

IF your friends have been in the habit of trading with us, ask them about us. We expect investigation and do not fear the result. CHEAP CHARLEY.

WE take the lead in style, quality, fit and low price. CHEAP CHARLEY.

The Lard Investigation.

CHICAGO, June 22.—In the McGeoch-Fowler Brothers investigation the books of the defendant firm showed that no prime steam lard was made during the times that Innis, a witness for McGeoch, said he had put 1,5000 pounds of tallow into the tank, which went into prime steam lard. The story about the Swift beef fat having been purchased to be made into prime steam lard was explained by the books, which showed that every pound of beef fat was manufactured with better stock, of which 500 tierces were shipped away, and the remainder, 2,700 tierces, remained on hand. Not a pound went into prime steam lard. The last point in the hearing was rather sensational. Two witnesses for the prosecution, Laskey and McCullom, were brought forward. For the prosecution they had testified that they had broken open tierces and shoveled tallow in lard tanks, and had drawn in oil from kettle No. 4 into prime steam lard tierces. They now say that there was not a word of truth in their testimony for the prosecution, who had urged them to make it as strong as possible, which they had done. They said that they had each received $30 from McGeoch, Everingham & Co., which they were ready to turn over. Mr. McCartney, a former superintendent of the refining-room of Fowler Bros'. packing house, now at Hatley Bros., pork-packers, said it was impossible for Cunningham and Innis, two witnesses for the prosecution, to know anything about the adulteration of lard, if it had been practiced. Cunningham said he had never been in the room where the lard was drawn off, and never would have been permitted to be there.

Belligerent Journalists.

PETERSBURG, VA., June 22.—This city has been in a perfect ferment of excitement in consequence of an editorial in the Whig, Mahone's organ, of this date, and of which Mr. W. C. Elam is editor, in reply to an editorial published in yesterday's State, a Democratic newspaper, Mr. R. F. Beirne editor. The following is the closing paragraph of the editorial which led to the trouble between the two journals:

"We laugh at the State's vituperation and vaporing, and beg to remark that not only does the State lie, but its editor and owner lies, and the poor creature who may have actually written the article in question also lies—all jointly and severally, deliberately, knowingly, maliciously and with the inevitable cowardice that is always yoked with insolent bravado."

No sooner had the Whig fallen into the hands of the police than warrants were promptly issued for the arrest of Messrs. Elam and Beirne, that the hostile meeting has taken place, probably at some remote place in North Carolina not accessible by telegraph. Mr. Elam has been engaged in duels at different times, and on one or two occasions was shot and painfully wounded. Mr. Beirne not many months ago accepted a hostile challenge from Senator Riddleberger, who is known as the game cock of the valley of Virginia, but no shots were discharged in consequence of Mr. Beirne forgetting to bring caps for the pistols. This duel and that which is believed to have taken place yesterday, were the outgrowth of bitter political feeling. Both Elam and Beirne are men of families.

Drunk and Desperate.

BLOOMINGTON, ILL., June 22.—Daniel Womeldorf was a man of desperate character, living four miles south of Tremont, Tazewell county. He was a prominent farmer and a well known citizen. Last night he got drunk and went to the house of his mother-in-law, Mrs. Morris, and with a big revolver opened fire on a son of Mrs. Morris. After he had fired a number of shots Morris drew a knife, and, making a dash at Womeldorf, succeeded in cutting him in a horrible manner, inflicting wounds thought to be mortal. There has been ill-feeling between these men for some time, and a collision between them has been expected. Morris is also a notoriously desperate character; has figured in several encounters and about a year ago killed a neighbor named Tobin.

Failed.

BOSTON, June 22.—William T. Cook & Co., straw goods manufacturers, of Foxboro, Mass., are reported failed. Considerable of their paper is held by Boston banks.

A HORRIBLE OUTRAGE.

Its Perpetrator at the Mercy of the Injured Girl's Father.

ATLANTA, GA., June 22.—The story of a most revolting crime came to light here yesterday. Dr. D. N. Cook and family have resided here for the past two months, at 81 Loyd street, in the same house with a man named A. Brightwell and his family. Cook rented the house and relet a part of it to Brightwell. It was Cook's custom when going out to church with his wife at night to leave his *family*, consisting of two little girls, a small boy and an infant, in charge of the Brightwells, with whom the Cooks are on the most intimate terms. Monday night while Cook and his wife were at church Brightwell sent his wife up town to do some shopping and in her absence caught hold of little Mary Cook, the 12-year old and eldest child, who was walking in the hall with the baby in her arms, and endeavored to drag her into his bed-room. The child jerked away and a young girl, Mollie Greene, who happened to come in about that time, upbraided Brightwell, and told him that she intended to inform Cook of his conduct. Yesterday morning when the girl informed Cook, he called Mary to him, and she confessed that Brightwell had abused her person at various times during the past three weeks in the absence of her parents, and that she had not divulged it before because fearful of her father's anger. Cook's other daughter, just eight years old, also confessed that Brightwell, one week ago, locked her in a closet and attempted to

RUIN HER BY FORCE,

when she screamed and he let her out without accomplishing his purpose. A medical examination showed the 12-year-old daughter to be in a terrible condition. Cook at once took out a warrant for rape against Brightwell, and went with Capt. Couch to serve it. Prominent citizens gathered around and advised Cook to kill the prisoner on the spot, but he refused to do it, and said; "Let the law take its course." Brightwell was taken to the station house, but the police fearing that he would be lynched, yesterday afternoon removed him to the jail, where at this hour he is strongly guarded. Brightwell protests his innocence, but Cook is convinced of his guilt. A band of prominent citizens went to Cook's house last night and begged him to say the word and they would at once proceed to the jail and lynch the villain, assuring him that the police would aid them in the work, but Cook declined to do it. Cook told your correspondent that Brightwell will not be lynched. Cook is a veterinary surgeon, who came here from Canada about a year ago, is looked upon as an upright man, and is a strict member of the Methodist church. Brightwell is a first-class mechanic, 35 years of age, and has a wife and two small boys. A little girl of the neighborhood, about 10 years old, says that Brightwell also attempted to abuse her, that he offered her money and she spat in his face. The case has created intense excitement and violent feeling against Brightwell, and the chances are that he will not be allowed a trial.

To My Friends and Customers.

We wish to impress everybody in want of all kinds of first-class meats, that Blenz & Delaney, west side of old square, will not allow any of their competitors to undersell them. Call and convince yourself. BLENZ & DELANEY.
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Notice to Tax-Payers.

The supervisor, town clerk and assessor of the town of Decatur will meet at the town clerk's office in the city of Decatur on Monday, June 25, 1883, to correct and review the assessment of said town for 1883. All persons considering themselves aggrieved will attend and show cause.
FRED J. SMITH, Assessor.
June 14-dtdw1

AN immense stock of trunks and valises of the best make at Fleury's, the French Cutter, corner of old square. 16d&wtf

B. STINE takes measures for Wilson Bros.' Shirts. f14dtf

Just Received.

New and handsome carpetings; also an elegant assortment of embroideries, at LINN & SCRUGGS'. Jan. 29, d&wtf

SHELLABARGER'S patent process flour saves one-half the labor in baking, and will make more bread to the pound than any other flour sold here. dec18d&wtf

Burning Whiskey.

PITTSBURG, PA., June 22.—For the second time within six months the Gibsonton Distillery, situated on the Monongahela river, sixty miles from this city, has been visited by a disastrous conflagration, the first fire resulting in the destruction of $300,000 worth of property, and yesterday another fire occurred in which the loss will reach over $500,000. The fire yesterday afternoon was caused by the bursting of a bung from a barrel, which scattered the contents of the barrel over a lamp in the hands of an employe named Niel, the oil taking fire and explosion following. In five minutes warehouse No. 2, which was four stories high and nearly 300 feet long, was enveloped in flames, and inside of an hour the fire had spread to warehouse No. 3, adjoining, and both buildings were doomed. Employes and persons living in the vicinity went to work manfully battling the flames, but their efforts were without avail, and by 9 o'clock last night the buildings were a mass of smouldering ruins. During the progress of the fire several explosions took place, one of them being so severe that debris and burning whiskey were scattered in every direction for two hundred yards, seriously burning and scalding fifteen persons and slightly injuring a number of others. The names of those most seriously hurt are as follows: Henry Neil, James Nixon, John Gault, George Smith, Charles Bondon, Charles Jones, Lewis McClure, George and John A. Molony, Alex. Huttener, Eli Lewis, B. Green, R. J. Linton and son, James Cooper, J. Gamble, Wm. Garrison and John Noble. Stored in the warehouse were between 8,600 and 10,000 barrels of old whiskey, which was entirely consumed. The loss will not fall short of a half million dollars, and will probably exceed at least $100,000. Most of the whiskey burned was insured, but the insurance will not cover the loss. Schmidt & Friday, of this city, lose $50,000.

Abduction or Elopement.

BOSTON, June 22.—The romantic acquaintance between Geo. F. Prescott, a good-looking young man of twenty-five, and Miss Annie E. Foster, the only daughter of a rich livery stable keeper at the South End, began when Prescott was driving a herdic about a year ago. Their acquaintance ripened into love, and after George had made numerous visits at the young lady's home matrimony was proposed and agreed upon. The day was set, the cards of invitation issued, and the bride's trousseau prepared. Annie's parents had never looked upon George with much favor as a prospective son-in-law, but they were utterly astonished to learn the day before the wedding was to have taken place that the young man had a wife, to whom he had been married for three years, living at No. 1 Pelham street. When George came to his house on the wedding morn he met with an unexpectedly warm reception, and was very glad to get out of doors without receiving any bodily harm. The marriage, of course, did not occur. The next evening a message was brought to the house for Annie, who, on receiving it, left at once without changing her clothing. Since then she has not returned, and her parents have made a thorough search for her in vain. Tuesday evening a young lady friend says she saw her on Washington street, walking with George. Her father, on learning this, had Prescott arrested on a charge of abducting the girl, claiming that he has her now imprisoned against her will. In court yesterday morning Prescott denied all knowledge of Annie's whereabouts, or that he wrote the message which caused her to leave home. He significantly declared, however, that the girl would not appear in court against him. He was held in $800 bail for trial on June 26.

Fixing the Price of Iron.

PHILADELPHIA, PA., June 22.—In accordance with a call issued by the Executive Committee of eastern iron manufacturers, appointed at Coney Island last August, consisting of Oliver Williams, chairman; W. E. S. Baker, A. H. Peacock, J. Avery Richards and Jesse L. Cooley, a meeting was held at the office of the American Iron and Steel Association, in this city, to-day, to form a new schedule of prices for extra sizes of bars, rods, bands, hoops, ovals plates and sheets, so as to cover the changes made necessary by the new tariff. The principal mills in the east were represented. It was resolved not to change the rates on oval, round, half oval or half round or square iron, or on flat iron down to 4½ inches to 6 inches wide by 2½ inches to 3 inches thick. The price of the larger flats was left to the discretion of the mills. The rates on band and hoop iron were referred to Messrs. Newgold, Cooley and Williams for adjustment. It was resolved to revive the eastern Ironmasters' Association for the purpose of discussing trade questions. The Executive Committee was continued, and was authorized to call another meeting when advisable.

Internal Revenue Districts.

WASHINGTON, June 22.—It is given out by the Treasury Department that the new internal revenue consolidation scheme is to be inaugurated July 1. Although this may be nominally done, it is simply impossible at this late date to put it into execution. The designation to the collectors retained must all be signed by the President and be dispatched with a blank bond. This bond must be executed and forwarded to the department, examined and accepted. Then the commissions must be sent to the various officers and they must put the machinery of these vast districts in order. It is physically impossible to accomplish this in three weeks. Many of the collectors will be required to give larger bonds upon their retention over the extended districts will require a month to arrange their papers satisfactorily to the department.

Boy and Horse Killed.

SULLIVAN, IND., June 22.—A frightful accident happened at Liston Wednesday, in which a boy and horse lost their lives. A boy named Butler, together with some companions, were horseback riding when Butler's horse got scared and ran against Holstein's drug store, a frame building, and broke through the side of the store, making a large hole and demolishing the shelves and their contents. The boy and horse lived but a short time.

A Big Corn Crop.

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., June 22.—H. C. Diehl, General Freight Agent of the Indiana, Bloomington and Western, yesterday said that the prospect for a big corn crop never was so good in any corresponding season as now. It will exceed an average crop largely, and every day improves the outlook. The I., B. and W. passes through the corn belt with two lines.

Bourbon Whiskey.

WASHINGTON, June 22.—A statement prepared by the internal revenue bureau yesterday shows that the production of whiskey in Kentucky during ten months, ended April 30, was, in round numbers, 5,000,000 gallons, or about one-quarter of the annual product during the two preceding fiscal years. The amout of Bourbon whiskey in warehouse in Kentucky May 1 was a little over 54,000,000 gallons.

Consolidated.

EFFINGHAM, ILL., June 22.—The Effingham Times, published by John Hoeny & Son, discontinued publication yesterday. The office has been purchased by Owen Scott, editor of the Democrat, who has consolidated the material and business of the Times with the Democrat.

CUSHING & WELD, 26 East Main street, will store heating stoves for the summer at reasonable rates. mar15dtf

Good for 40 Days.

Thomas Bivins, the excursion agent announces that excursion trains to Southeastern Kansas and Southwestern Missouri will be run over the Wabash, Kansas City, Fort Scott and Gulf R. R. on Tuesday, June 12th, and on Tuesday, June 26th. Round trip tickets good for 40 days. Call on Mr. Bivins for further information. jun5d&wtd

FINE neckwear for gents a specialty at CHEAP CHARLEY'S.

THE Decatur agent for the sale of the Remington Standard Type Writers—two styles—can be found at the REPUBLICAN office. The Remington is the *perfected* type writer, is a handsome, compact and practically noiseless machine, is simple accurate and very durable in construction and is quickly understood and can be used at once by any one. John Young, Agent. jun4-dtf

LEAVE orders for cord and stove wood at F. D. Caldwell's, Post Office Block. Dec. 19-dtf

ALWAYS fresh and home-made—Harry Miller's Caramels, Butter Scotch, double strength Horehound, &c. For sale by all first class dealers. nov9-dtf

MODJESKA played Juliet at Denver. The property man gave her a phial for the potion-drinking scene. The contents of the phial had been stupidly taken from a bottle of chemicals. Uncorking the phial, Modjeska noticed the peculiarly offensive odor and did not drink the contents. But she was very angry at the careless property man, and said indignantly on going off the stage that had she drunk the liquid she would have been poisoned. Thereupon the Denver papers develop a three-column sensation. Wonderfully enterprising those Denver papers. Madame Modjeska declares this was the third escape of the kind she has had. Very singular, when Madame knows that an empty phial is just as effective in that scene as one that is filled with tea.

Parasols.

We show an elegant line of satin lace-trimmed, large size parasols, made out of superior material, natural stick, lined in all the variety of colors, at $4.50. Goods that never retailed for less than $6. Also a variety of styles in all silk and satin parasols—24, 22 and 20 inch at $1.25, $1.50, $1.75 and $2 respectively. We also show a lot of 25 parasols, in black and shades in ottoman, the most elegant and substantial in the market at *less than cost prices*. CHEAP STORE.
Big 18. June 13d&w1w

Perfect Fits.

Call on Daniels & Shepherd for a good fitting suit of clothes. You can save Five Dollars on a suit. Mr. Daniels is a cutter of ten years' experience, has held situations in several of the larger cities, and both men are practical workmen, and understand the business. Give them a trial, and they will guarantee you satisfaction in every particular. Northwest corner Old Square, second floor, over P. Perl's undertaking rooms.
June 1-d1m

We All Know

That water never runs up hill; that kisses taste better than they look, and are better after dark; that it is better to be right than to be left; that those who take Dr. Jones' Red Clover Tonic never have dyspepsia, costiveness, bad breath, piles, pimples, ague and malaria diseases, poor appetite, low spirits, headache or diseases of kidneys and bladder. Price 50 cents, of Dr. A. J. Stoner, physician and druggist, 14 south side new square, Decatur, Ill. 1

WE will not allow any misrepresentation in our business, believing that in the long run honesty and fair dealing will win the victory. CHEAP CHARLEY.

Kid Gloves.

A large line of the very latest shades of Tan and Terre Cotta just arrived at John Irwin's White Front. April 13-dtf

MT. OLIVE COAL, the purest and cleanest in the market, to be had only at Venigerholz's yard. March 15—dt

WANTED, LOST, FOUND, &c.

[Notices in this column, of five lines or less, will be inserted one week for 25 cents, payable in advance.]

LOST—In this city, on Water street, between Linn & Scruggs and E. D. Bartholomew & Co.'s stores, June 21, a brown Russia leather portemonnaie, containing $53. Please leave the same at the REPUBLICAN office and receive a reward. MRS. J. E. BERING.
June 22-d6d*

THE GREATEST WONDER OF THE AGE! Clairvoyant and Female Physician.—Mrs. Dr. Sautello, the most celebrated lady in the United States, gifted with Second Sight and Magnetic Healer, will remain for a short time at the Palace Hotel, Room No. 16, ladies' entrance, where she can be consulted from 9 A. M. to 9 P. M. She tells you the Past, Present and Future, gives you correct information on all Business Matters, Law Suits, Family Affairs, Lost or Stolen Property, etc., etc. Locates all diseases without use of instruments, specialty on all female troubles, for Married or Single Women, with the assurance that her treatment will relieve the most difficult case. All who are sick or in trouble, will do well to consult this wonderful lady, as she will give entire satisfaction to all her callers, and will remain for a short time only. Everything strictly confidential. Charges moderate. English, French, German, Spanish and Italian spoken. june22dtf

STRAYED—A red and white milch cow, seven or eight years old. She was giving three gallons milk per day. Any information leading to her recovery will be rewarded by
June 22-d&w1w A. SMICK.

A BARGAIN.—The undersigned desiring to move to Decatur, will sell his farm, situated three miles west of Decatur, and containing forty acres, all fenced and under cultivation, with a comfortable house, good stable, corn crib, well, pig pen, fruit, etc., together with growing crop; about ten acres in corn, three in oats, one in potatoes, some in grass, balance in garden truck, together with a good team of horses, harness and wagon, also a one-horse spring wagon, nearly new, with buggy harness, good saddle and riding bridle, plows and harrow. Will sell the entire lot if sold within ten days for $1,000 00 (one thousand) dollars cash. Possession given immediately. A rare bargain. EDWIN MAY, Box 142,
June 20—d6t* Decatur, Illinois.

WANTED—STORAGE—For a few months storage for small lot household goods; will pay good price. Apply to
20-d1w* A. E. NAY, New York Store.

LOST—Eight yards of silk sash, in two pieces, red and blue. Package was wrapped up with name of Annie Seeforth on the outside. Finder will please return to REPUBLICAN office. jun20-d6d

FOUND—On Tuesday, June 19, a gold ring. The owner can recover the same by calling at Henry Bower's grocery store, on East Main street. 19-d6

W. A. BRIDGES has a sand blast at Mills & Harry's planing mill, where he can make ornamental glass for doors or transoms and can make the prettiest numbers for houses. No tastier number than that made by a sand blast on the transom. Orders received by telephone. June13d&w*

FURNISHED ROOM wanted by a single gentleman, in a central location, not far from the depot. Address "L," care REPUBLICAN office. june18-d6d*

FOR SALE.

I OFFER FOR SALE for a few days the elegant corner, 98x156 feet, on South Macon and College streets, just north of the fine residence of J. K. Warren, Esq. This is one of the very choicest unimproved corners in the city; has good barn, carriage house, wood house, fine well and plenty of shade and fruit trees, and in choice neighborhood. Also lot 5, block 6, Plant & Tuttle's Addition, which has a one and one-half story house of six rooms, paying over 15 per cent. net on the investment. Also lot 9, in Hale's resurvey of block 28, Carver's Addition, near depot. I wish to sell and mean business. For prices and terms address S. OVERMIRE, 40 Washington Ave., South, Minneapolis, Minn. june15d6d

M. L. HENDRICKS, artist, teacher of drawing and painting. Studio in Ullrich's block, third floor. Classes heard every day from 2 to 5 p. m., and Monday, Wednesday and Friday mornings from 9 to 12. Those desiring instruction in any branch of drawing and painting are invited to call at studio for terms, &c. Orders taken for decorative work on satin, plush, etc. may28-d1m*

FOR SALE—The property on the S. W. corner of West Prairie and Monroe sts., consisting of a desirable corner lot 231 feet front, two story frame house, stable, &c. For particulars enquire of J. E. STROHM, at marble shop.
jun11-dtfw1

ROOFING—E. M. Dodd, Practical Roofer. Slate, tin and iron roofs a specialty. Tin copper and sheet iron work of all kinds done to order. Spouting and repairing of roofs of all kinds done with neatness and dispatch. Roofs repainted with slate roof paint. Plain and ornamental roofs solicited from a distance. State Street, 2d door from East William St., Decatur, Illinois. apr3dtf

FIRST-CLASS RESIDENCE FOR SALE—My residence, No. 29, West Cerro Gordo street, a complete home in first rate order. Possession can be given in sixty days. Any one desiring to purchase will please call on me at my place on the levee, or apply to Randolph & Gher. JOHN S. CAMPBELL.
May12-dtf

UPHOLSTERING of all kinds done and satisfaction guaranteed, by G. P. HART.
Mar. 5-dtf

NEW BAKERY AND RESTAURANT—I am now in the bakery and restaurant business again, in the new building south of the REPUBLICAN office, fully prepared to furnish warm meals at all hours. Give me a call. Meals, 25 cents. JOSEPH MCCRARY.
Nov. 27—dtf

CHEAP LOTS.—For sale to parties intending to build. Apply to MONTGOMERY & SHULL, Powers' Block. mar1dtf

We to-day put on sale

100 PIECES MOHAIR DRESS GOODS

AT 25 CENTS,

All reduced from 40, 50, 60 and 75c. They are the greatest bargains we have ever offered.

F. L. HAYS & CO.

W. R. ABBOTT & CO.'S

—STOCK OF—

Fine Jewelry is Immense!

NEW GOODS EVERY DAY

Our assortment of SILVERWARE, GOLD and SILVER WATCHES and FANCY GOODS is the finest in the city. Do not fail to see them.

Dec. 21, 1882—d&wtf

MILLINERY.

We have on Sale the Newest, Largest and

Best Assorted Stock of Millinery

Ever Shown in the City of Decatur.

Prices 25 pr Ct. Less Than Any Other House

NEW GOODS EVERY DAY.

Miss Hawkes, in charge of this Department, gives personal attention to all orders.

S. G. HATCH & BRO.,
20 East Main St., Powers' Block.
June 12 d&wtf

MASTER'S SALE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, County of Macon, } ss
Macon County Circuit Court.

Samuel Anderson vs. Charles E. Hunsley and Malinda E. Hunsley—Foreclosure, No. 11,703.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause in said Court at the May Term, A. D. 1883, I, John A. Brown, Master in Chancery for said Court, on

Saturday, the 14th day of July, A. D. 1883

at the hour of 2 o'clock P. M. of said day, shall sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, at the west entrance door of the Court House in Decatur, in said county, the following described real estate, situate in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit: The east half of the west half of the northeast quarter, the east half of the southwest quarter, the west half of the southeast quarter and six (6) acres off the north side of the west half, and the west half of the east half of the southeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section fourteen (14), also commencing at the northwest corner of the northeast quarter of section twenty-three (23), thence running east sixty (60) rods, thence south fifty-three and one-third (53⅓) rods, thence west sixty (60) rods, thence north fifty-three and one-third (53⅓) rods to the place of beginning, all in township sixteen (16) north, range one (1) east of the 3rd P. M., containing in all 226 acres, be the same more or less, together with all and singular the tenements and hereditaments thereunto belonging. Said premises will be sold subject to redemption.

Decatur, Illinois, June 13th, 1883.
JOHN A. BROWN,
Master in Chancery for Macon Co., Ill.
OUTTEN & VAIL, Solicitors for Complainant.
June 13—d30d

AT LIDDLE'S,

Court House Block,

10 SIZES

VAPOR OR GASOLINE STOVES,

—WITH—

Hull's Always Reliable Burner;

GASOLINE, 74 deg. gravity, distilled for summer stoves, FIVE GALLONS FOR 75 CENTS;

10 sizes Refrigerators and Ice Chests;

8 styles Water Coolers;

6 sizes Ice Cream Freezers;

Garden and Lawn Vases;

Flower Pots, all sizes.

June 8—d&wtf

NEW MEAT MARKET!

Danzeisen & Son

HAVE OPENED THEIR

NEW MEAT MARKET

—AT—

No. 16, Merchant St.,

which has been fitted up with new fixtures and everything put in the most complete order. We will keep constantly on hand all kinds of

Fresh and Salt Meats,

Beef, Pork, Mutton, Ham, Bacon, Sausage, Lard, Etc.

WE SELL ONLY THE BEST QUALITY OF MEATS.

Give us a call. DANZEISEN & SON.
June 4, 1883—dtf.

AT LIDDLE'S,

Court House Block,

Parlor Furniture, Bed Room, Dining Room, Office and Kitchen Furniture,

Best Assortment,

New Styles,

Very Low Prices.

Bargains in MIRRORS, MATTRESSES, and almost all kinds of goods for Housekeeping.

"GLAD TIDINGS" Cook Stove,

Best Baker in the land.

Please call at ——— LIDDLE'S.
June 8—d&wtf

JOSEPH SUTTER'S

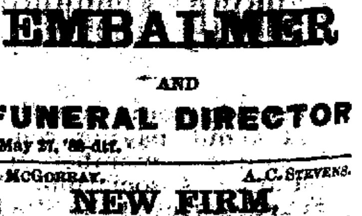
Celebrated Brands of his

10 and 5 Cent Cigars

"M. Jane,"
"Casket,"
"Little Darling,"
"American Eagle,"
"Golden Belt,"
"Lone Star,"
"Sport,"
"Buck."

When you buy a Cigar don't fail to vote for the "FIRE BOYS." junidtf

P. PERL,



EMBALMER

—AND—

FUNERAL DIRECTOR

May 27, '83-dtf.

B. MCGORRAY. A. C. STEVENS.

NEW FIRM.

B. McGorray and A. C. Stevens have formed a copartnership for transacting Real Estate and Insurance business, and keep constantly on hand, for sale or exchange, houses, lots and farming lands. Life, fire and tornado insurance in number one companies. Passage to and from Europe. Room No. 2, Powers' Block. April 6-d3m*

Proposals for Lamp Lighting.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received by the undersigned for ten days to light, extinguish and keep in repair the city gas and gasoline street lamps for the present fiscal year, the bids to include the filling of gasoline lamps, refilling glass for all lamps, and such other work as is necessary to keep the lamps in good repair. The committee on gas reserves the right to reject any or all bids.
WM. SCHROLL, Chairman Gas Com.
June 21-d10d

PALACE HOTEL

N. LAUX, Proprietor,

South Main St., corner of Wood, Decatur, Ill. $2.00 per day. Livery stable in connection with house. Carriages furnished at all hours. Feb. 8, 1881—d&wy

WE HAVE JUST OPENED

200 PAIRS

—OF—

NEW BRACELETS!

All the Newest Spring Styles in

BAND, BANGLE, CHAIN

—AND—

FANCY BRACELETS.

Remember, we can show you more Bracelets than you can find in all the other stores in town combined, and give you prices that certainly cannot be beaten.

O. E. CURTIS & CO.,

Leading Jewelers.

May 1, 1883—d&wtf

THE BEST IS THE CHEAPEST.

The "CHAMPION MONITOR"

—AND—

GARLAND STOVES AND RANGES

Are made from the Best Iron, and by Workmen of the Highest Class.

They are sold with the guaranty that they possess more points of Convenience, Durability, Economy and general Utility, than can be found in any other line.

CALL AND EXAMINE A COMPLETE ASSORTMENT AT

FERGUSON & DILLEHUNT'S.

No. 13 WATER STREET.

ALSO A COMPLETE LINE OF GENERAL HARDWARE.

May 4—wly&d3mo

—THE—

BIG SHOE STORE,

13 EAST MAIN ST. THROUGH TO 9 WATER ST.

Headquarters for LILLY, BRACKETT & CO. and BURT & MEAR'S Celebrated SHOES. Full line always in stock. They are the dandy styles, and the finest to be had.

L. L. FERRISS & CO., DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

July 11, 1883—d&wtf

NEW ADVERTISEMENT.

"Not Selling Out, but Reducing Our Stock,"

WILL BE OUR MOTTO.

This being the last month of this season, all our Goods will be marked down to a small margin, in order to reduce our stock before the season closes. Our Goods are all New and Stylish, and as handsome as can be found in the market.

MRS. DINET, one of the most Fashionable Trimmers of Chicago, will be with us until July 4th. All orders entrusted to her care will be satisfactorily attended to.

☞ Please call and examine our stock.

No. 28, East Main Street.

MRS. K. EINSTEIN.

June 6, 1883—d&wtf

The Daily Republican.

TERMS.

For week, payable to Carrier,.....15 Cts.
One year, in advance,.....$7.00
Six Months, " 3.50
Three Months, " 1.75

FRIDAY EVENING, JUNE 22, 1883.

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

WALK in and see the Novelty Baby Carriages at E. D. BARTHOLOMEW & Co.'s.

THE "Remington."

NO MORE festivals this week.

GET A CHEAP CHARLEY puzzle.

THE REPUBLICAN office number is 125 South Water street.

ST. JOHN'S church social Tuesday night at the residence of Chas. P. Thatcher.

EVERYTHING late in hair goods at Miss Miller's, opposite Postoffice. 22

THE revised premium list for the county fair will soon be published.

DEAL with Stookey & Peniwell when you want first-class family groceries.

THE criminals are now being hauled over the legal coals in the circuit court.

PONY mules will be used to draw the cars on the new street railway.

THE next convention of the Illinois State Christian Sabbath School Association may be held in Decatur.

BY calling for Schroeder's celebrated Bohemian cigars you will always get the best nickel smokers.

TOM LEE (not Hop Lee) is confident that he will be acquitted to-morrow, on the charge of using profane language.

SELECT Haines Bros. pianos when you decide to buy. You can get them at C. B. Prescott's at very low figures.

THE Chicago artists who will paint the new scenery for the opera house will arrive in Decatur on Monday next.

FERGUSON & DILLEHUNT will deliver gasoline in five gallon lots. [apr20dtf

THE musical entertainment given last night by the W. C. T. U. at the tabernacle was the best that has yet been offered by this organization, and was well worthy of the liberal patronage it received.

ANOTHER invoice of Wilson Bros.' Penang Shirts just received at John Irwin's White Front, P. O. block. Apr. 13–dtf

THE Wabash ran an extra passenger train from St. Louis through Decatur to Chicago last night. Passengers had the ride for $5.

RELIABLE eggs, fresh butter and nice vegetables on sale at Pope & Bro.'s store in opera block.

TRY the celebrated Egyptian hair restorer, to be had in Decatur only at Wilhelmy's Bon-Ton barber shop. 21–d1w

THE P. D. & E. R. R. Co. will run another Sunday excursion to Peoria June 24th, fare for the round trip $1. 20dtd

THE Shorthand School will open Tuesday night. Monday evening Prof. Cross, of Bloomington, will deliver a lecture on the Eclectic System at the Y. M. C. A. rooms. Admission free.

BUY your gasoline of Ferguson & Dillehunt, No. 13 Water St. [apr20-dtf

MAYOR CHAMBERS has appointed Mr. "Doc" Stewart, a representative colored citizen, to the position of poundmaster, and that gentleman is now on duty, wearing a star. Mr. Stewart put a stray horse in the city pound last evening.

THE P. D. & E. R. R. Co. will sell excursion tickets on July 2, 3 and 4 from all stations to all stations, good until July 5 inclusive, for 2 cents per mile each way. june20dtd

COMFORT Corsets, children's waists, hoop-skirts and paniers at Miss Miller's, opposite postoffice. 8

IT is said that Robert Andrews will retire from the general superintendency of the Wabash railway, as will several of the division superintendents. They do not perform the duties according to the ideas of Vice President Hoxie.

STOP at Niedermyer's on the mound and get Decatur strawberries fresh from the field.

THE Mattoon Horse Association holds its annual meeting July 2, 3 and 4, and $2,000 will be given in premiums. Mattoon belongs to the Indiana and Illinois racing circuit which this year will give $18,000 in premiums.

SAVE dollars by purchasing serviceable harness at J. W. Tyler's shop, south side city park.

OUR aim is to please our patrons and make permanent friends of them.
CHEAP CHARLEY,
Reliable Clothier.

LOVINGTON item: "T. C. Kearney, C. Watwood and L. B. March are buying 300 head of yearling heifers for Messrs. John Hatfield & Son, of Decatur, who will ship them Friday for their stock ranch at McCook, Red Willow county, Nebraska. Mr. March will accompany them and take charge of the ranch. Mr. March's family will probably not leave for two months yet. Lov was one of our best citizens."

THE popular "Blower," hand made, clear Havana filler, five cent cigar, is made by Keck & Weigand, East Eldorado street, who also manufacture the famous "10-er" and "Keystone" cigars.

feb20-dtf

JAMES W. COOK, 351 Clark street, Chicago, Ill., says: "Brown's Iron Bitters has entirely cured me of dyspepsia." 22

SHORTHAND CLERKS are paid from $75 to $100 a month. By close application the average student can fit himself for a position of that kind in six weeks by studying Eclectic Shorthand. L. A. McDaniel, who graduated under the author of the Eclectic System, (Prof. J. Geo. Cross), and who is an experienced teacher of the art, will teach a six week's term, beginning next Tuesday, June 26, in the grand jury room. One class at 9 a. m. and another at 8 p. m. For information address him at Decatur. 21—d4*

MR. JOHN H. YOUNG, from the Chicago Art Institute, will arrive in Decatur on Monday, June 25th, to give lessons in water color painting. All those wishing to avail themselves of this opportunity should call at the opera house after June 25th. 15–dtd

MR. OLIVE COAL, lump and nut, always on hand at Vennigerholz's coal yard. March 15—dtf

Masonic.

Special meeting of Macon Lodge No. 8, A. F. & A., this (Friday) evening, for work in the 3rd degree. By order of
JOHN HATFIELD, W. M.
WM. L. HAMMER, Sec.

A PAINFUL ACCIDENT.

Unlucky "Harry" Clemens and His Experience with a Shot-Gun.

For some time past Mrs. Daniel Gahman, who lives on the corner of North Water and King streets, has been greatly annoyed by a chicken killing cat, and having resolved to be rid of the voracious feline, she offered Ankeney, or as he is more familiarly called, Harry Clemens, a reward to shoot the cat. "Harry" is an unfortunate lad who is just sixteen years of age to-day. He is a son of W. H. Clemens whose residence is on the corner west of Mrs. Gahman's dwelling, corner Main and King streets. Harry got the family shot-gun and loaded it with two buckshot and a quantity of the largest sized birdshot. Then he started out on a hunt for the troublesome cat. Holding the gun in his right hand he started to climb over the alley fence, and in so doing the gun slipped out of his grasp and in falling to the ground it exploded, most of the load entering his right forearm, but fracturing none of the bones. A great lot of the flesh was torn away. Harry fell groaning to the ground where he was picked up by neighbors and friends and carried into the house. The Drs. Chenoweth attended the wounded lad and dressed the lacerated arm. A reporter visited the wounded lad this forenoon and found him writhing in pain, and at his bedside were his mother and sister who were doing everything possible to make him more comfortable. Young Clemens seems to be a very unfortunate lad. In Indiana two years ago he had his left arm broken, and at Richmond in that state less than a year ago the fingers of his left hand were nearly cut off by machinery. This hand now shows a long and wide scar. As soon as he recovers from his present affliction, which he will always remember in connection with his 16th birthday anniversary, he should apply for an accident insurance policy. It would certainly be a wise thing for him to do in view of his past experience.

Death of a Graduate.

Miss Helen Tomlinson, aged 20 years, of Mt. Pulaski, a graduate of the Morgan Park Seminary, north of Chicago, died suddenly on Wednesday night. She was taken sick immediately after her graduation, her parents being present at the time. The young lady, who was always in delicate health, and a former classmate of Miss Ellen Powell, of this city, had applied herself too closely to her studies. The remains arrived at Mt. Pulaski yesterday, and to-day the funeral occurred, Rev. Curtis Powell, of this city, conducting the services. Miss Ellen Powell was present at the burial.

"Purchase of the Wabash."

The Effingham *Times* prints the following in connection with the recent purchase of a slice of the Wabash road at that city: "H. B. Kepley bought the Wabash railroad at the tax sale last week. This is the first time in the history of the county where a railroad has allowed its property to go to sale, and the Wabash will find out that there are buyers here who have grit enough to buy its property in, just the same as though it belonged to a private individual. The omission of the Wabash to settle its tax before going to sale was unquestionably attributed to negligence, as two hours after the property was stricken off to Mr. Kepley a telegram was received by Treasurer Wernsing from the company to the effect that a draft for the amount of the tax had been forwarded in due course of mail. But it was too late. The amount of the tax was $2,762.12, on which Mr. Kepley will make 25 per cent. profit, which would give him $600 as a net sum on the investment. Who says tax titles do not pay? In case the road does not redeem we suppose Mr. Kepley will soon give excursion rates over his road to the cool summer resorts of the north."

Temperance School.

The children and their teachers will meet at the tabernacle to-morrow afternoon at 2:30. Parents who wish their boys and girls to learn the effects of alcohol and tobacco, take notice and send them now at the first of the school. An encouraging beginning was made last Saturday. Mrs. E. R. Colwell will act as superintendent. Please come, young and old.

Fresh Oysters

Just received direct from New York harbor—all big, fat, fresh and nice—at Miller's Lunch Room, on Prairie street. 2t—d3

THE other day the REPUBLICAN made mention of the fact that Squire Williamson, a well-known, industrious colored citizen, had purchased the James Miller farm of ninety acres, a few miles west of Decatur. Mr. Williamson paid $4,000 cash for the land, the amount representing the greater portion of his earnings during his lifetime. He lost about $800 recently by the failure of a restaurant firm, and yet he had enough cash left to buy a farm.

A SOCIAL will be given at the residence of Mr. James Freeman, on College street, in the 2d ward, on Monday evening, June 25th, by the ladies of the Baptist church. Refreshments will be served. All are invited to be present. Rev. Roberts, who will depart from the city on Tuesday, will be in attendance to say good-by to members of the society. 22dtd

CLEAR and pleasant in Decatur to-day, fleecy clouds banking in the northwest. At 9:30 a. m. it was clear in Chicago, the thermometer at 65; at Omaha, cloudy, 60; at St. Paul, clear, 58.

LAST night a very delightful social party was given at the home of Professor Wilhelmy in honor of Mrs. Rudolph Lederer, of Bloomington, sister of Mrs. W. There were present about 25 couples, who passed the evening very pleasantly together. There was dancing, and refreshments were served.

IF you have a damaged buggy, carriage or wagon, take it to D. F. Hamsher on Wood street and he will repair it for you at small cost.

Notice.

I desire to inform my friends and customers that on and after Sunday, July 1, my barber shop will be closed on the Sabbath. With a disposition and desire to accommodate customers, I feel that it were better to observe the fourth commandment and remember the Sabbath day to keep it holy. Very respectfully,
P. A. GAHAN.

J. C. Lange, East St. Louis, Ill., says: "Two bottles of Brown's Iron Bitters cured me of indigestion." 22

An All-Night Party.

There is one case on record where a surprise party took possession of a farmer's dwelling and held the fort all night, going home at "five o'clock in the morning." Wednesday was the anniversary of the birth of Robert Fountain, who lives on the M. P. Murphey place in Wheatland township. A large number of his friends—about 40—took a notion to give him a surprise visitation, and in order to make it a success they waited until nine o'clock Wednesday night, and then surrounded the dwelling and caught Robert peacefully snoozing in bed. The invasion was an immense success, and all the young gentlemen and ladies had a jolly good time playing games and discussing the refreshments which were brought in great abundance by the party. And while everything was oh, so jolly! within doors, the rain came down in perfect torrents without, and continued to fall without the least interruption until four o'clock in the morning. The callers were ready to depart at 12 o'clock, the hour fixed for the exodus, but the elements had the floor and said "nay, my hearties, ye'll have to stay, or I'll give ye a soaking." So the party held possession of the dwelling, and none of them got away until five o'clock. That social affair was truly an "event," and will not soon be forgotten by the very much surprised Fountain and his water-bound guests.

THE CIRCUIT COURT.

May Term, 1883—Judge Smith, of Champaign, Presiding.

FRIDAY, JUNE 22.

Court convened at 8:30 o'clock.

PEOPLE'S DOCKET.

The People vs. Daniel Elliott; burglary and larceny; trial by jury; verdict, defendant guilty, and term of imprisonment in the penitentiary fixed at three years.

Same vs. Charles Harrah; assault to do bodily injury; plea of guilty entered, and defendant fined $25 and costs. Fine replevined, with R. T. Allinson and J. T. Cash as securities.

Same vs. William Gabler; trespass; defendant pleaded guilty, and fined $25 and costs.

Same vs. Michael K. Carroll; keeping open tippling house; defendant pleaded guilty to four first counts and fined $20 and costs on each; *nolle* as to others. Fine replevined in $200, with D. W. Brenneman as security.

Same vs. Christian Starr; cheating and false pretense; motion to quash each count overruled, and defendant arraigned and pleaded not guilty.

Same vs. Michael K. Carroll; keeping open tippling house; plea of not guilty withdrawn; defendant pleaded guilty to four first counts, and fined $20 and costs on each; *nolle* as to other counts. Fine replevined in $200, with D. W. Brenneman as security.

FORGERY CASE.

The noted forgery case, in which Jerry Kelleher is defendant, is now on trial by jury, The People being represented by States Attorney Johns, and Kelleher by Orea & Ewing and Harvey Pasco. The complaining witness is Robert Johnson, a farmer residing eight miles east of Decatur. Mrs. Kelleher and her child are in court.

LATER.—Defendant Kelleher withdrew his plea of not guilty, and pleaded guilty. He was sentenced to one year in the penitentiary.

CASES CONTINUED.

John Lindsey, indicted for cruelty to animals; Nicholas Weber, keeping open tippling house and selling liquor to minors; W. H. Cussick, forgery; Frank Ketchum, crime against nature; Robert Gaultz, embezzelment; Michael Flynn, murder; Fauvet Crepin, having a deadly weapon; Henry Holmes, selling liquor without license, keeping open tippling house, and keeping gaming house; William Miller and Elizabeth Foldwell, adultery; Robert Brown, selling liquor without license, and keeping open tippling house; Alexander Conn, assault to murder, carrying concealed weapons and disturbing the peace.

STRICKEN FROM DOCKET.

James Lunsford, false pretenses, with leave to reinstate; Ann Houston, keeping house of ill-fame, with leave to reinstate; Chris. T. Robinson, keeping gaming house, with leave to reinstate; Edward Blair, recognizance to keep the peace; Lewis Hartley, larceny.

A Children's Party.

A pleasant surprise party was successfully carried out yesterday by the young misses of West William street and vicinity. The object of their consideration was Miss Emma Huddleston, only daughter of our respected fellow-citizen, James Huddleston, whose residence is pleasantly located on West William street. About thirty of Miss Emma's little friends flocked about her with their happy faces and joyous smiles. We note among them Josie Gaseway, Gracie Bloom, Maud Barnes, Donna Buckingham, Julia Buckingham, Mamie Young, Bessie Young, Lillie Crosthwait, Katie and Lena Quinlan, Mollie Connelly, and Lizzie Sackett, and among her boy acquaintances we note Julius Westerman, Willie and Bennie Freeman, Charlie and Guy Barnes, Linn Radcliff, Arthur, Ray and Dwight Sackett, Charlie Connelley, Eddie, Robbie and Paul Eckels, and Harry and Frank Hamsher. Mrs. Eckles, Mrs. John A. Barnes and Mrs. Connelly kindly assisted Mrs. Huddleston in the herculean task of keeping this busy, restless throng not only properly provided for but also under due control. It was no slight task to satisfy thirsty little bodies, each possessed with an active, ravenous appetite, but this was successfully done, and besides all had their fill of fun and frolic. Ice cream, cold meats, lemonade, cakes and numerous delicacies of the season crowding the long tables so bountifully spread in the open air, fully demonstrated Mrs. Huddleston's ability to comprehend and supply the varied wants of the rising generation. As the little heads are pillowed in sleep to-night and the cares and vexations of busy life are forgotten, they all come together in quiet dreamland and unanimously vote the supper an immense success and shower benedictions upon the head of their kind, considerate and indulgent hostess, Mrs. Jas. Huddleston.

State Officers Elected.

Elder Pinkerton informs us that the annual convention of the Illinois State Sabbath Association of the Christian church, held at Charleston this week, was very well attended. There were 53 schools represented by 128 delegates. A collection of $900 for the support of Evangelist Taylor was secured. The convention adjourned Wednesday evening, with an address by Rev. Garrison, of St. Louis. The officers elected for the ensuing year were:

President—Dr. Geo W. Sitherwood, of Bloomington.

Vice President—Rev. T. W. Pinkerton, Decatur.

Rec. Sec.—Rev. J. Wetzel, of Maron.

Treasurer—Rev. A. P. Cobb, of Normal.

Cor. Sec.—Rev. Knox P. Taylor, S. S. evangelist, of Bloomington.

The officers constitute the state executive committee. To them was left the matter of selecting a point at which to hold the next state meeting of the association. Many of them are favorable to Decatur.

A NEW lot of fine suitings at Fleury's, the French Cutter. 16d&w

HOME TALENT.

The Musical Entertainment at the Tabernacle Last Evening.

The musical and literary entertainment given at the tabernacle last evening for the benefit of the W. C. T. U., was attended by about 800 people, the receipts at the door being about $70. The stage was occupied by the little and big folks participating in the numbers, and all were attired in holiday costumes. A number of handsome temperance banners were used as decorative properties. The following programme was observed, opening with prayer by Rev. Trueblood:

1. Piano Solo.....Miss Mamie Freeman
2. "Pledge Song," chorus, "Band of Hope Class."
3. Recitation, "Jingles,".....Alma Conklin.
4. Song, "The Unfinished Prayer," Jessie, Ellie and Baby Betty Peas.
5. Recitation, "Betsey and I are Out," Gracie Fielder.
6. Solo and chorus, "Grandfather's Story," Lynn Radcliff. { Fallie Radcliff, Gracie Blume, Annie Strohm.
7. Vocal solo, "When the Robins Nest Again," Miss Mamie Kinney, { Mrs. J. R. Patterson, pianist. Mr. J. Van Riper, cornetist.
8. Recitation, "In the years that are to come," .....Ellie Pease.
9. Song, "The Wines,".....Master Bennie Freeman.
10. Solo and chorus, "The Young Abstainer," .....Miss Florence Adams, Accompanist.
11. Recitation, "Only Sixteen".....Lulu Fielder.
12. Solo, "Lullaby Song".....D. L. Bunn.
13. Quartette, Messrs. Gher, Strader, Johnson and Williams.

Each number was received with manifest pleasure, Miss Kinney, Mr. Bunn, Bennie Freeman and Lulu Fielder receiving recalls. Master Bennie, though not very tall nor very large, had no difficulty in making himself heard. In response to the encore he gave "Mother Hubbard."

It was announced by Mr. Bunn that the Union would give a Fourth of July celebration at the fair grounds, and everybody was invited to take part in the festivities of the day.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Charles Hughes, Esq., of Monticello, is in the city attending court to-day.

Mr. and Mrs. Wanglin and Mrs. F. E. Schell, of Belleville, are in the city.

Bishop Kephart left the city to-day for Cuba, Ill., where on Sunday he will dedicate a new U. B. church.

Mrs. G. H. Brandau and son, of Baltimore, Md., arrived in the city this morning and registered at the St. Nicholas.

Manager Haines went to Chicago last night. He was accompanied by his wife and Miss Ada Boyd, who will go to South Bend, Ind., to visit friends.

Mrs. F. Smith and Miss Kittie L. Koontz departed yesterday for Terre Haute, Ind., where they will visit friends for two or three weeks.

Charles W. Challis, of Bloomington, is in town. He finds time to boom the July blow-out at Bloomington on the Fourth. He predicts that it will be a paralyzing celebration.

Rev. A. W. Walter, pastor of the English Lutheran church of this city, will be here Sunday to assist in beginning the Sunday School at the hall over Bacon & Saxton's store.

Geo. W. Fithian, J. Litzelmann, Frank L. Shup, Wm. Trainer, H. K. Powell and wife, J. C. McCullough, T. Cooper and L. Banler, all of Newton, Jasper county, are in the city attending the circuit court.

Elder Pinkerton, S. W. Leffingwell, Mrs. H. L. Odor and Miss Sallie Brand, arrived home last evening from Charleston, where they, as delegates, attended the State Christian Sabbath School Convention.

Mrs. W. L. Hammer and her two children, Cora and Harry, are water-bound at Breckenridge, Mo., 60 miles east of Kansas City. They started for home a few days ago, but on account of high water they, with other unlucky travelers, are compelled to anchor at Breckenridge until the trains can get through.

Buck Weems, son of Mrs. Dr. Weems, of Eskridge, Kansas, who is visiting in the city, got lost yesterday afternoon, and greatly alarmed Mrs. Dr. Buck, who had brought him up town. He was recognized and taken in tow by Rev. Hillerby, who noticed the lad wandering about in front of opera house block.

MARRIED.

In this city, June 21, 1883, by Rev. W. B. Shobe, MR. WILLIAM BLENDAW and MISS ANNA PLOTNER, both of Decatur.

In this city, at the residence of the bride, on North Franklin street, by Justice McGorray, at 8 p. m., on Thursday, June 21, 1883, SOLOMON C. SHIVELEY and MRS MARY PECK.

DIED.

In this city at the family residence on Cerro Gordo street, on June 21, 1883, MRS. LAURA BELL, wife of James M. Bell the grocer.

The deceased had been ill with a complication of diseases for two weeks. Her age was 33 years. She leaves five children, the eldest being twelve years old and the youngest—twins—are 3½ years of age. Mrs. Bell was a faithful wife and loving mother. She was a sister of John A. and Wesley Myers, and of Mrs. A. T. Davis and Mrs. Henry Mahannah.

The funeral will take place from the family residence Saturday morning at 8 o'clock, and the remains will be taken to Mt. Zion for burial. Short funeral services will be held at the Cumberland Presbyterian church at Mt. Zion.

"Frisco Line."

St. Louis & San Francisco railway—George Lower agent. Office first floor, No. 20 East Prairie street, opposite the postoffice, Decatur, Ill. See announcement of "Frisco Line" excursions in another column.

HAVE your measures taken at B. Stine's for Wilson Bros.' Shirts. f14dtf

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Closing quotations at Wm. Keenan's Commission Rooms at Noon To-day.

CHICAGO, June 22.

WHEAT—$1.05¾ July; $1.08 Aug; $1.09¾ Sept; $1.11¾ Oct.

CORN—54¾ July; 54½ Aug; 54¾ Sept; 54¾ Oct.

OATS— —July; 30¾ Aug; 31¾ Sept; 30¼ Oct.

PORK—$17.05 July; $17.20 Aug; $17.37½ Sept; $17.47½ Oct.

LARD—$9.80 July; $9.90 Aug; $9.98½ Sept.

UNION STOCK YARDS.

HOGS—*Estimated receipts*, 12,000; shipments, 3818; light hogs, $5.90@6.30; mixed, $5.90@6.30; heavy, $6.15@6.40; cattle receipts, 8,000.

	Receipts.	Shipments.	Car Lots.
WHEAT.....	19,973	59,239	54
CORN.....	198,370	208,950	319
OATS.....	124,738	82,183	134
RYE.....	11,670	2,608	12

NEW YORK, June 22.

WHEAT—$1.15¾ June; $1.17½ July; $1.20 Aug; $1.22 Sept; $1.24¾ Oct; —Year.

CORN—51¾ June; 52¾ July; 53¾ Aug; 54¾ Sept; 55¾ Oct.

TOLEDO, June 22.

WHEAT—$1.11¾ June; $1.12¾ July; $1.13¾ Aug; $1.15¾ Sept; $1.17¾ Oct; —Year.

CORN—55 June; 55½ July; 56¾ Aug; 56¾ Sept.

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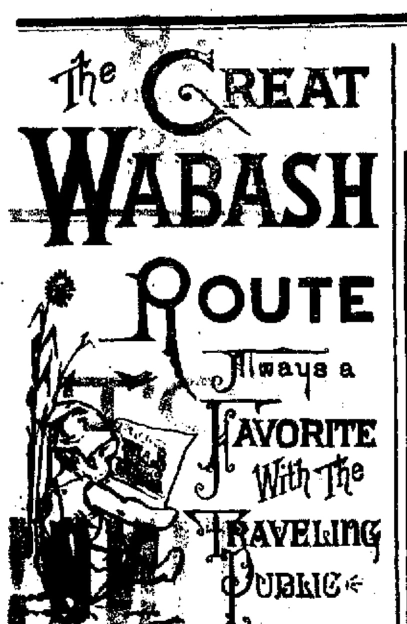
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Departure of Trains at Decatur Station:

Main Line

GOING EAST.

No 4, Atlantic Express	12:00 m.
" 2, Lightning Express	10:55 p. m

The following freight trains will carry passengers with tickets:

Going East	8:10 a. m
Going "	6:10 p. m
Going "	4:35 a. m

GOING WEST.

No. 3, Fast Line	5:25 a. m
" 1, Jacksonville Accommodation	6:55 a. m
" 1, Fast Mail	3:40 p. m

The following freight trains will carry passengers with tickets:

Going West	1:00 p. m
Going "	11:30 p. m

Chicago Division.

On and after Sunday, May 15th, 1881, trains will run as follows on the Chicago Division of the W., St. L. & P. R'y by way of Bement:

GOING EAST.

No. 43, Chicago Express	12:20 a. m
" 44, Chicago Mail	12:10 p. m

ARRIVE FROM CHICAGO.

No. 47, St. Louis Express	4:10 a. m
" 45, St. Louis Mail	3:50 p. m

St. Louis Division.

GOING WEST.

No. 47, St. Louis Express	4:15 a. m
" 43, Fast Line	5:15 a. m
" 45, Fast Mail	3:45 p. m

ARRIVE FROM ST. LOUIS.

No. 48, Chicago Express	12:15 a. m
" 44, Atlantic Express	11:55 a. m
" [illegible] Express	10:40 p. m

The following freight trains will carry passengers with tickets on the St. Louis Division:

Going West	6:00 a. m
Arrive from West	6:30 p. m

Champaign Division.

Arrive from East	10:40 a. m
[illegible]	6:00 p. m

For [illegible] Tables, Tickets and any [illegible] information call on [illegible] Agent W. St. L. & P. R. R. [illegible] HOXIE, H. C. TOWNSEND, 2d Vice President. Gen. Pass. Agent, St. Louis.

ILLINOIS MIDLAND R. R.

[illegible] Sunday, Oct. [illegible], 1882, trains [illegible] as follows:

EAST.

Mail and Express	12:16 p. m
Local Freight arrives	5:20 p. m
" " leaves	6:00 a. m

WEST.

Mail and Express	12:25 p. m
Local Freight arrives	6:30 p. m
" " leaves	6:00 a. m

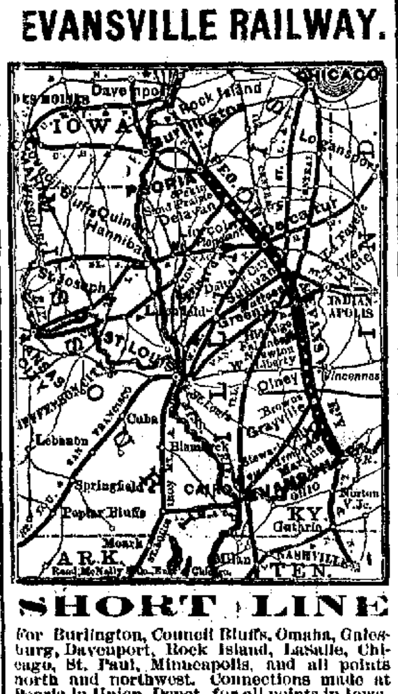
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GOING EAST.

Passenger	10 50 a. m
"	10:40 p. m
Freight	2:35 p. m
Through Freight	2:40 a. m

GOING WEST.

Passenger	6:55 a. m
"	3:40 p. m
Freight	10:45 a. m
Through Freight	6:00 p. m

For maps, bills, time, rates and other information, call on or address
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H. C. PARKER, Traffic Manager.
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CONDENSED TIME CARD.

LEAVE DECATUR GOING EAST.

Mail and Express No. 22	12:15 p. m
Night Express No. 24	10:00 p. m
Way Freight No. 26	6:00 a. m
Mixed and Stock Train No. 30	5:50 p. m

ARRIVE FROM INDIANAPOLIS.

Mail and Day Express No. 21	3:00 p. m
Night Express No. 23	4:30 a. m
Way Freight No. 25	7:30 p. m
Through Freight and Mixed Train No. 20	8:15 a. m

I. H. WILSON, Superintendent.
C. E. HENDERSON, Gen'l Man.
Decatur, Ill., April 20, 1883.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL R. R.

DECATUR STATION, Sept. 3, 1882.

Until further notice, trains on this line will leave Decatur as follows:

GOING NORTH.

Passenger	6:00 a. m
Accommodation	3:40 p. m
Freight	4:30 p. m

GOING SOUTH.

Accommodation	10:10 a. m
Passenger	5:30 p. m
Freight	9:50 p. m

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We give away 12 yards of the best 8⅓ Calico, of your own selection, with every purchase of $5.00 or over

June 14, 1883-d&wtf

The Daily Republican.

Lightning Strikes a Wire Fence.

Clinton (Mo.) Advocate.

During the storm the other night the electrical current played rather a queer freak on the farm of Dr. Nall, who lives six miles south of Windsor. The doctor has his residence inclosed with a five-wire fence, three smooth wires at the top and two barbed wires below, and on the north and west run public roads, and on the south of the inclosure is a pasture of considerable size. During the storm the south fence was struck with lightning, the stroke taking effect in the sixth or seventh post from the west end. The fluid ran along the wires eastward some 210 yards, when, for some reason, it followed a post, into the ground, tearing the posts all to pieces and throwing some of them long distances. Along the line of fence, wherever the wires were fastened to the posts by staples, the wire or the staples were melted or burned up, the posts being no way injured, but wherever the wire rested against a post unsupported by a staple the posts were more or less damaged, many of them being torn to pieces and portions thrown from a hundred to a hundred and fifty yards.

The Old Maid.

Hester Stuart writes of the old maid: "Her days are days of pleasantness, and her nights are nights of peace. She goes to bed when she pleases, and does not leave one ear uncovered to listen for the uncertain steps and wavering night-key of a late coming husband. Neither does she turn restlessly on her pillow beside a sober, snoring spouse, and wonder, and wonder, where the children's school books or the family flannels are to come *from*; but she drops into peaceful slumber to dream of her old love, and wakes to wonder whether married life with him could ever become the sordid meager affair which it is to so many husbands and wives."

They Must Have It.

What? A writing machine. Who? All business men. Why? Because it is needed in their business, and they cannot do without one if they consult their own interests. The Ideal Caligraph is the only perfect writing machine and J. H. Durfee is the agent. References—J. T. Montgomery, Morehouse & Wells, R. Eugene Pratt, Warren & Durfee, Mills Bros. and the machine. Sample machine at circuit clerk's office. March 9-dtf

The Hartford Remedy for Red Ants.

Hartford (Conn.) Times, June 13.

A gentleman of this city informs us that last Summer his family were troubled with myriads of little red ants. He watched their movements, and finally found that a *line* of them came through a crevice in a window, and made their way to the pantry; returning with bits of sugar or food, they passed out where they came in, and disappeared in the ground a few feet from the house. On examining he found a space of quite four feet square filled with the ants. He procured a wash boiler full of boiling water, had the earth about the nest stirred up, and the water poured on. He repeated this on the two following days, being careful to cover with the boiling water several feet of ground all around the nest. He had no more red ants in his house last summer, nor have they reappeared this year.

We All Believe

That it is a long lane that has no turning; that many a shaft at random sent, finds a mark the archer little meant; that no remedy sold will cure coughs, colds, croup, whooping cough and all throat and lung troubles so quickly nor permanently as Dr. Bigelow's Positive cure; that our druggist, Dr. A. J. Stoner, 14 south side new square, is very generous to give trial bottles of this remedy free of charge. 1

The Lunch Basket System.

Lafayette Journal.

The Kankakee line is going to inaugurate the "lunch basket" system, similar to that in vogue on some of the eastern roads. They have printed little bills of fare from which you select what you want. The conductor finds out how many will want lunch and then telegraphs ahead and has them prepared. A first-class dinner is thus obtained to be eaten at leisure without the hurry incidental to stopping and eating a hasty meal at some wayside station. It will also be cheaper, as the lunch will cost but forty or fifty cents. Lafayette has been made headquarters for the preparation of these lunches.

House Numbering.

Chas. O. Ebel & Co., who are doing the measuring of the streets for the proper house numbers are progressing as rapidly as possible. We would advise our citizens to instruct the lady of the house to select the style of number desired when called on, as they are generally at home during the day, while the men are only home at meal time. As the parties doing the measuring do all the platting, measuring and painting the names of the streets on the lamp posts free of charge, they should be well patronized and assisted in every way to gain time, which is valuable to them.

MT. OLIVE COAL takes the lead everywhere. Leave orders at P. Ullrich's grocery store. March 15—dtf

IMMENSE STOCK of Straw Hats at Fleury, the French Cutter, corner of old square. apr28-d&wtf

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LEAVE orders for dry stove wood at F. D. Caldwell's, American Express office. Dec. 19-dtf

FOR the best meals and best liquors call at the Palace Hotel. [Aug. 20-dtf

GO TO Dr. Thomas S. Hoskins to get your dental work done. Cor. Main and Water streets, Decatur, Ill. 21dtf

MR. A. L. BROCKWAY will give his attention to paper hanging and decorating, and will guarantee satisfaction. Leave orders with Linn & Scruggs, dealers in wall paper, carpetings, upholstery, etc. March 29—d&wtf

STRAW hats of all styles at Fleury's the French Cutter. 15d&wtf

For the Happiness of Home.

From a Clergyman's Home Comes a Message Containing the Wisdom of Experience.

Home is the centre of the social system. From it proceed the best and purest influences felt in the world, and towards it gravitate the tenderest hopes of humanity. For it all good men labor while their working days last, and around it their last thoughts linger lovingly when those days are done.

Yet home does not usually approach in practice its own ideals. The mother is overtaxed with household duties and the rearing and training of her children, while the father fights the outside battle to win the wherewithal to meet expenses. Sooner or later care and toil leave their marks. It is true enough, as Kingsley sings in the "Three Fishers," that

"Men must work, and women must weep,"

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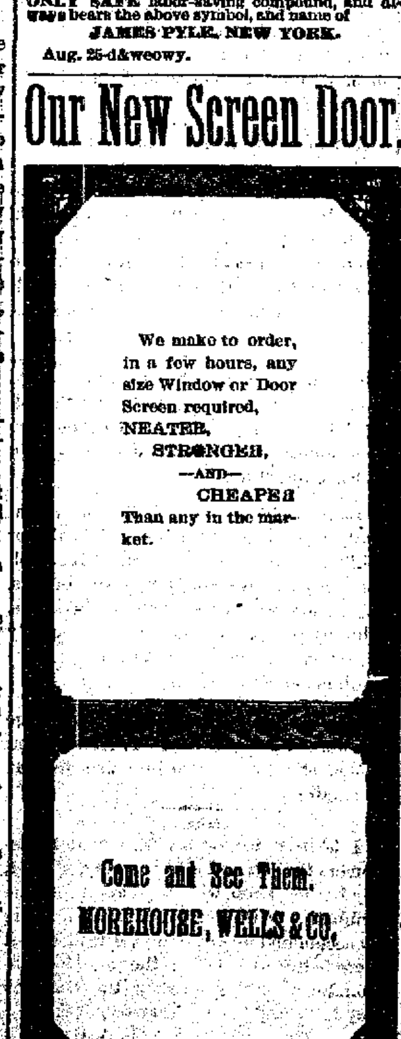
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Aug. 25-d&weowy.

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Nov. 16, 1882—wly

Administrator's Sale.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of a decree for sale made by the County Court of Macon county and State of Illinois, on the 22nd day of May, 1883, wherein Isaac D. Walker, administrator of the estate of Frederick Malehorn, is petitioner, and Anna Trenkle, Thomas Graves and the unknown heirs of Thomas Malehorn are defendants, the undersigned being the petitioner above-named, will sell at public vendue, *for Cash*, on the 22nd Day of June, 1883, at two o'clock P. M., at the west entrance to the Court House in Decatur, Illinois, the following described real estate, to-wit: Part of the southeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section thirty-four, township seventeen, range three east of the third Principal Meridian, commencing at the southeast corner and running west near eighteen rods to a stake, thence north near eighteen rods to a stake, thence east near eighteen rods to a stake, thence south near eighteen rods to the place of beginning, containing two acres. Said premises will be sold subject to the dower interest of Anna Trenkle. Anna Trenkle will release her dower interest to the purchaser. ISAAC D. WALKER, Administrator of the Estate of Frederick Malehorn.

D. C. CORLEY, Attorney. [may23d4w

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Administrator's Notice.

Estate of SAMUEL THOMPSON, deceased.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to all persons having claims and demands against the estate of Samuel Thompson, dec'ed, to present the same for adjudication and settlement at a regular term of the County Court of Macon county, to be holden at the Court House, in the city of Decatur, on the third Monday of August, A. D. 1883, being the first day of said term.

Decatur, Ill., June 8, A. D. 1883.

JEROME R. GORIN, Administrator.

June 8—d3w.

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